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## MORE THAN NINE INCHES RAIN FELL IN BORDER CITY

### SHERMAN ALSO RECORDED PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ONE LIFE LOST IN FLOOD

By Associated Press.

Texarkana, Oct. 11.—Cloudy skies were threatening this morning to continue the downpour which Saturday night and Sunday morning gave Texarkana its heaviest rainfall in forty-three years and caused heavy damage to property and loss of livestock.

Firemen are preparing to meet any emergency in case there is a renewal of the drenching rain which between 7 p. m. Saturday and 7 a. m. Sunday totalled 9.25 inches in the city, according to H. S. Brashear, weather observer.

In the lower sections of the town residents are removing their furniture and merchandise from their homes and stores.

No lives were lost in the flood which damaged a considerable amount of furniture and merchandise and drowned a number of head of cattle and hogs. Firemen and residents are busy checking up on the property loss, and pumping water from the flooded basements.

Twenty negroes were carried to safety when the rainfall made a lake of the negro section of the city. In some places the water reached a height of seven feet, making it impossible for residents to leave their front doors.

Numerous buildings in the city are flooded and water is being pumped out. The rainfall was general in the vicinity of Texarkana and for many miles around.

**Life Lost at Sherman.**

By Associated Press.

Sherman, Texas, Oct. 11.—Citizens here were still retrieving property Monday that was washed away when more than six inches of rain fell Saturday night in about two hours, swelling the branches of Post Oak creek, which forms a net work in four directions around the city, in the northern half a mile wide at several points.

No estimate of the damage to some residences, mills and manufacturing plants here could be made Monday. The rain was confined to a small area immediately surrounding Sherman, light showers falling in the south half of the county and a three-inch rain falling north of Sherman along Red River.

Funeral services were held Monday at Friendship, three miles west of Sherman, for E. W. Haynie, Jr., aged 16, who drowned Saturday night when the automobile in which he was riding with Ray Wible, was washed from the road half a mile west of town. Wible escaped by grasping the branch of a tree.

**Railroad Traffic Suspended.**

By Associated Press.

Wishita Falls, Oct. 11.—Rail traffic between Texas and Oklahoma over the Wichita Falls and Northwestern branch of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas was again suspended Monday as the result of the flood damage to the bridge over Red River at Burkburnett. Two bents of the bridge were swept out Sunday night. It was expected that traffic would be resumed late Monday. Thirty feet of the wagon bridge across the river north of Electra was also washed out.

Work of repairing the Wichita Valley railway bridge at Byers, washed out two weeks ago, has been delayed by the new flood. Red river was reported falling at Burkburnett this morning.

**Arkansas River on Rampage.**

By Associated Press.

Fort Smith, Ark., Oct. 11.—The Arkansas river continued to rise here today when the gauge stood at 29 feet, seven feet above flood stage. The local weather bureau announced the stage probably would reach thirty-two feet before the waters recede.

Low lands in the vicinity of Fort Smith were under water and bottom crops were suffering. Bridges are reported threatened by the advancing flood.

## PARDON GRANTED MAN SENTENCED TO PRISON FROM DALLAS

By Associated Press.

Austin, Oct. 11.—A conditional pardon has been granted C. Whaling, alias Laurence Calloway, by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, records in the Secretary of State's office showed today.

Whaling with four others, including Tom Ross and Milt Good, escaped last fall from the Huntsville penitentiary. After spending some time in a Dallas hospital Whaling recently was returned to the penitentiary. He was sentenced from Dallas county.

"Corsicana Has It."

## ONE KILLED AND SEVERAL INJURED DURING CELEBRATION

### PLANS MADE FOR PROTECTION OF PLAYERS FROM FRIENDS LATE MONDAY

By Associated Press.

St. Louis, Oct. 11.—Hope springing into reality with the Cardinals' triumphant 3 to 2 victory yesterdayy over the New York Yankees sent thousands upon thousands of baseball-mad St. Louisians into a hysterical frenzy of celebration and today set their eyes toward the first opportunity of welcoming home a world's champion baseball club.

The champion crew is due to arrive at the home camp late today, with plans going gorward here for their reception. Last night's boisterous celebration, which continued into the late hours, is expected only to rival the home-coming festivities that will be accorded the Red Birds. Jack Grosse, city register and chairman of the committee which arranged last Monday's demonstration when the Cardinals brought the series fight to home grounds, was making plans today to protect the returning batsmen from possibly injury from over-enthusiastic fans.

**To Protect Cards From Friends.**

It is possible, Grosse intimated, that Hornsby and his men will debark from their train at some point in Illinois and be smuggled into town by taxicab.

"It would be murder to let the men get off the train at Washington avenue or Union Station," said Grosse. Last's week's demonstration began when the Cardinals left their special train at the Washington avenue station.

A tinge of pathos traces St. Louis' recollections of the stirring days of the series title fight, for more sober thoughts recall that Hornsby must go on to Austin, Texas, to attend his mother's funeral. He has announced that he will take the first available train for the Southwest after his arrival here.

**Would Honor Heroes.**

The ludicrous element continues apace. Numerous signs have made their appearance, suggesting the elevation of Hornsby, Alexander, Thevenow and other heroes of the club to positions of honor from mayor to president.

Last night's merry-making, however, took its toll of dead and injured. William Troll, Jr., was killed when he was brushed into the street from the running board of an automobile, caught in a traffic jam on a downtown street. Four persons, including a policeman, were injured while mingling with the revelers. One, a girl, was critically injured when she was thrown to the street from the hood of an automobile, where she was riding.

Read the Sun—get all the news.

## DELIBERATE MANY HOURS BUT COULD NOT REACH VERDICT

### CHARGES MADE THAT DURESS AND VILE LANGUAGE PREVAILED IN JURY ROOM

**By Associated Press:**

**New York, Oct. 11—The jury in the Daugherty-Miller conspiracy trial, 65 hours after taking the case, was discharged today by Judge Julian W. Mack, without having reached a verdict.**

**Deputy United States Marshall John Pinckney, who was guarding the jurors, said he had been told by one of them that on the final vote the jurors stood ten to two for conviction as to Miller and six to six for Daugherty.**

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 11.—Having already ta a record for length of a deadlock a Federal Court jury was ordered to continue consideration of the Daugherty-Miller conspiracy case today by Federal Judge Julian W. Mack.

Charges of duress and "vile" language in the jury room were made in open court yesterday by a dissenting juror who said no verdict could be reached until the majority broke down the physical endurance of the minority.

When the jury was sent to bed in a hotel last night it had been out fifty hours after a trial service of five weeks.

Other tribulations of the jury, which took the case Friday night, were illness of one juror and failure to comprehend the relation of the law to the evidence. Delay was caused by the loss of two checks which the jurors asked to see. After a long search the checks were found in a waste basket in the court room. Both checks were for $22,163.81, which Federal Attorney Buckner said were among the most important government exhibits and related to burned bank records.

**Juror Claims He Is Ill.**

Murray B. White, one of the jurors, told Judge Mack shortly after ten o'clock last night that he was ill and that if he had no rest he probably would be unable to consider the case today.

Thrice yesterday the jurors filed into the court room to hear Judge Mack answer questions propounded by them, or to listen to belated instructions on law. Henry Van Ost, the complainant for the minority, voiced his belief in the hopelessness of further deliberations alone of these sessions.

"You have no idea, your Honor," Van Ost said. "What is going on beyond that locked jury room door. You cannot hear the vile language or understand the duress that is being used. Sooner or later one or more of us will blow up and bow to the will of the majority and return a verdict based on duress. I ask you if such a verdict would be fair."

**Duress Verdict Unfair.**

The Judge answered:

"No, such a verdict would not be fair. Your verdict must be based on your honest belief. You must be humble in your opinions. You must listen each to the counsels of the others." And as the jury deliberated behind the locked door, Harry M. Daugherty, former Attorney General, and Thomas W. Miller, former Alien Property Custodian, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with payment of a $7,000,000 alien claim, paced a corridor. Both were in high spirits.

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## NORTH CAROLINA REPRESENTATIVE ASKS FOR SESSION

### PRESIDENT COOLIDGE PETITIONED TO CALL LAWMAKERS IN NOVEMBER

By Asosciated Press.

Richfield, N. C., Oct. 11.—President Coolidge was asked to call a special session of Congress in November to consider the depression of grain and cotton in a telegram sent today by Representative Edward W. Pou of the Fourth Congresional district and ranking Democrat on the House rule committee.

"I have a profound conviction that you may deem wise and proper to submit to the Congress to avert threatened disaster to the farmers of the nation or any legislation by any committee with this purpose will be considered in a spirit of utter disregard to any partisan advantage whatsoever," the telegram said.

**Wants Meeting Southern Bankers.**

By Ascosiated Pres.

New Orleans, Oct. 11.—A Southwide conference of cotton state bankers for the purpose of devising means of bolstering up the declining cotton prices through reduced acreage was advocated at a meeting of the New Orleans Clearing House Association today.

Bankers in the cotton states will be asked for their opinion as to the advisability of calling such a meeting, the Clearing House suggesting that cotton growers be financed in an effort to prevent flooding of the market, but at the same time insisting upon a "decreased acreage" stipulation for next year.

L. M. Pool, president of the Marine Bank and Trust Company, and head of the Clearing House, said there was plenty of money to finance the cotton growers but that it would be a mistake to finance growers who were throwing all their cotton on the market without an ironclad understanding regarding a reduced acreage for next year.

## CLAIM TUNNEY TO WED LITTLE RICH GIRL IN WINTER

By Associated Press.

**New York, Oct. 11.—Today's American says that Gene Tunney has matrimonial intentions and that an announcement will be made during the winter. The paper's society editor writes:**

**"His reported bride-to-be is said to be rich, of the social register and possessed of a daddy who is connected with the Rockefellers."**

## SAN ANTONIO MAN KILLS INTRUDER IN HOME EARLY MONDAY

By Associated Press.

San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 11.—After being wounded in the neck by a bullet early this morning when he disregarded the command of two intruders in his home to not move and engaging them in a hand to hand scuffle, Otta A. Clauss grabbed a pistol from under his pillow, shot one of the intruders to death and possibly wounded the other, as a trail of blood was found leading from the house. The man killed is unidentified.

Clauss' condition is not believed serious.

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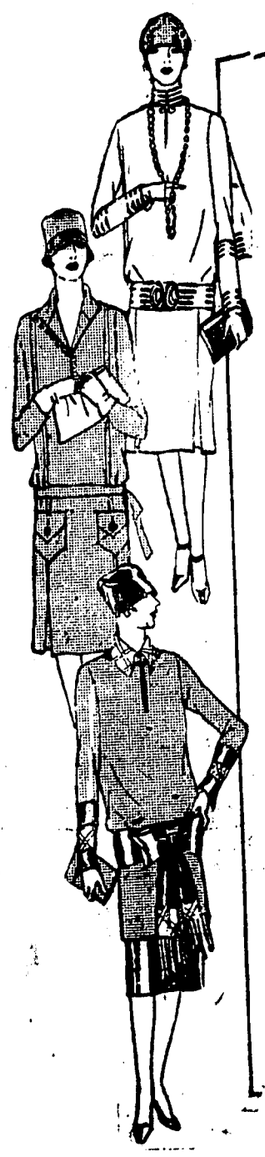

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## RAISE MORE HOGS.

Indications are that a large number of Navarro county farms will be re-stocked with hogs. A move is on foot, endorsed by the Corsicana Clearing House Association and the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce whereby the banks of the county will finance farmers in the securing of hogs. It is expected that several car loads will be ordered at an early date in various sections of the county and the hogs will be delivered to the farmers at actual cost of shipping them here. The hogs are to be distributed among the farmers wanting them by lots.

Men in close touch with the agricultural situation in Navarro county state that very few farmers are raising hogs, in fact that hog stocks in Navarro county have dwindled to almost nothing. It is also pointed out that hog raising is one of the safest risks that can be taken by the farmer. If the market is off the hog can be used for home consumption and with the large feed crop raised in the county this year the cost of feeding the hogs will be little.

It has long been known that the successful farmer is the farmer who lives at home and not out of a tin can.

## PATIENCE.

Lack of patience ruins more great enterprises than lack of ideals, or lack of knowledge, or even lack of energy. Impatience begets hopelessness, driving men alternately to ill-considered activity or deadening apathy. We fail and blame the conditions in which we live, the difficulties of our temperament, when the true secret of our distressing ineffectiveness is impatience.

It may be doubted whether many of us recognize what patience really is. We mistake its character and office. We may easily condemn it as being merely passive, quiescent and submissive.

Even Shakespeare blundered when he attempted to describe it. Rarely does he show less insight than when he pictures "Patience sitting on a monument, smiling at Grief."

It would have been truer if he had presented it as strong, active, courageous, resolute in fellowship to bear the ills and checks of life with a settled purpose of faithfulness to duty.

Ruskin is more in correspondence with fact when he declared that "the Patience who really smiles at Grief usually stands, or walks, or even runs; she seldom sits." But even this is inadequate. Let us call patience "the King of Virtues," or adopt Tertullian's description and regard it as 'God's foster-daughter."

Patience is more than endurance. It is hopefulness made constant by the confidence of faith it has the ideal in its heart, and knows that what it treasures there will some day become a fact of life, if only men are faithful. Truth, fellowship, loyalty, virtue cannot be manufactured by the ingenuity or industry of men. They must grow, and for this time is necessary; time, with all its contrarient experience in the dull, dark nights of winter, its stinging winds and cruel cold, as well as in the bright days of spring and the glory of the summer's sun.

Without patience men settle down to no continuous effort. Committing themselves to an enterprise deserving the enthusiasm with which they enter it, when the immediate results are disappointing they slacken effort and abandon their resolution. They will not wait for further developments, and, stricken with the instability of the double-minded, they sink into despair.

But the worst results of impatience are not found in the failure of great and noble work. They are seen in the character of those who have become the victims of its scorn and fretfulness. Starting by being impatient with the conditions in which they live and work, they end by becoming impatient with themselves. Soon they impute the ineffectiveness of their lives to an ineradicable weakness in their character, for which they are not responsible and against which it is useless to struggle, but on account of which they are forever complaining. They not only blunt the instrument by which alone good work can be done, but go on to assert that the work is impossible.

## GOOD ROADS

An effort was made to secure the 1927 convention of County Judges and Commissioners for this city but the convention went to San Antonio. When Corsicana was placed before the meeting for the next convention the question came up "Do You Have Any Good Roads in Navarro County?" The answer is the convention will not be held in Corsicana.

County Judge Warren Hicks attended the convention at Tyler and in discussing it said: "It occurs to me that Corsicana and Navarro county are going to be in the back ground as long as we have the class of roads which we have at the present time. I was impressed by the co-operation which seems to exist in Smith county. The entire county seems to work as a unit and personal interest seems to have been relegated to the back ground and all are working for Smith county. They have in Smith county approximately 125 miles of hard surfaced roads. These roads lead out of Tyler in eight directions to the county line. These roads are constructed of concrete and gravel with asphalt surfacing."

"The entire county works as a unit." That's the whole story and that is why Smith county has good roads. Until the citizenship of Navarro county can work as a unit for the benefit of the community as a whole the county will continue the uneven fight with bad roads as a handicap.

## THE TEACHERS' REWARD.

With the approach of autumn the public schools are open as well as the colleges and universities. To their labors an army of teachers are summoned and for nine months or more the daily activities in the class room must continue. For teaching is a profession that exacts much more than a routine. It levies tribute on heart, brain and body. A real teacher's work is not over when the bell rings and classes break up for the day. Some workers can throw down their tools when the whistle blows, go home and forget them until tomorrow. But a teacher, a moulder of youth, can not do that and remain a teacher.

The rewards of the teaching vocation are certainly not financial. The average teacher and college professor is poorly, inadequately paid. Salaries for teachers are better than they were. They should be better still, but at their best they are but a small part of the teacher's compensation. The association with youth, the opportunity to watch the growing mind and inspire that mind to worthy ideals, the bringing out of obscurity into light of personalities latent or dwarfed for one reason or another, is great gain, satisfying and lasting.

Let the school teacher, whether grade or high, the college professor and even the modest but necessary tutor, ponder this well. The rewards of teaching are as substantial as the Rock of Gibraltar and eternal in the values that matter most.

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Divorced 28 years ago because the husband drank, an Indiana couple have just remarried because he has stopped. Well he had a good big drink.

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"To think," exclaimed the enthusiastic young husband, "that by the time we get all this furniture paid for we shall have genuine antiques.

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So live that if you serve as a cabinet officer they will not charge you with covering your tracks by setting fire to the ledger of your brother's bank.

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Although there are three producing oil fields in Navarro county another one just at this time would receive a hearty and sincere welcome.

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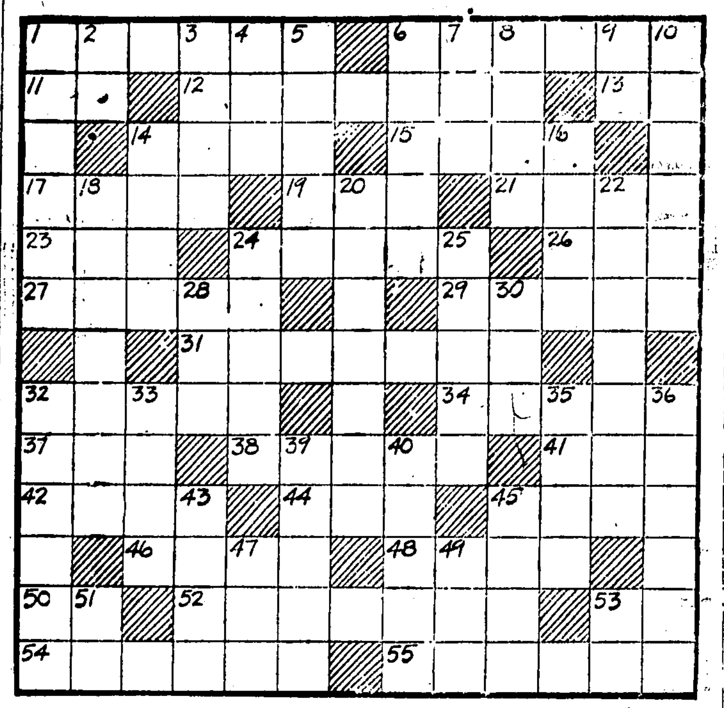
Discussing the bout in its legal aspects, it must be conceded that Mr. Tunney carries an effective injunction in his right.

## Today's Cross-Word Puzzle

A DIAMOND DIADEM.



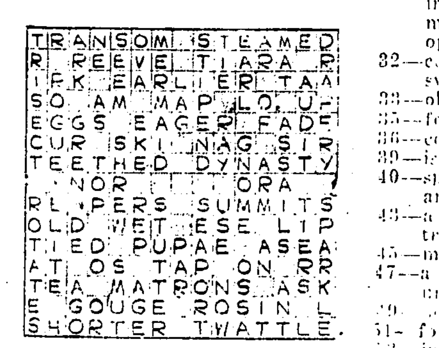
**HORIZONTAL.**

1—entangled
6—thinly scattered.
11—toward
12—one more
13—conjunction
14—frees
15—old
17—exploit
19—wander
21—sciences
23—hotel
24—to adjust
26—part of "to be"
27—an aquatic animal
29—a mode of expressing words and phrases by pictures of objects
31—non-professional
32—an account or reckoning
34—a case
37—texture spun by spider
38—a funeral hymn
41—by
42—dry
44—clean
45—drove
46—implement
48—a female servant
50—accomplish
52—unity
53—near
54—breathes with a rough, hoarse nasal voice in sleep
55—a quantity of yarn

**VERTICAL.**

1—the working room of an artist.
2—negative.
3—a hostile or predatory incursion.
4—termination.
5—gave doses to.
6—acrid.
7—a wooden pin or nail.
8—any plane surface.
9—therefore; provided that.
10—effaces
14—lease
16—a dull brownish yellow or dull gray color
18—one who lures
20—ecstasy
22—relied
24—furnished with arms
25—an armistice
28—organ of hearing
30—to mistake in judgment or opinion
32—covers with sward
33—obsequy
35—footless
36—construct
39—islands
40—sports of any kind
43—an entranceway
45—moun[illegible]
47—a single unit
49—[illegible]
51—forward
52—indefinite article

Herewith is the solution to yesterday's puzzle.



## Attractive Window Display Worth Seeing

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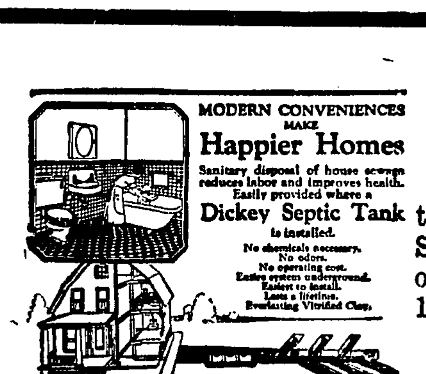
James A. McMahan went to Dallas Saturday.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## PROMINENT COTTON SEED BREEDER WILL CUT COTTON ACREAGE

"I am going to plant less cotton next year and give it more intensive attention," said John A. Bryant of Route 5, Corsicana, in discussing his farming plans for next season at the Chamber of Commerce Friday.

Mr. Bryant is the only registered seed breeder in Navarro county and is recognized among the outstanding pedigreed seed men of Texas.

In discussing the results of sulphur dusting for control of the cotton flea hopper this season, Mr. Bryant said that his observation convinced him of the effectiveness of this treatment. The Chamber of Commerce sulphur dusting demonstration conducted on the Bryant farm during the height of flea infestation attracted considerable attention to his tests. On a large plot which was sulphur-dusted according to A. & M. College recommendations, Mr. Bryant said that the flea was controlled and that cotton treated fruited heavily afterwards. Satisfactory flea control was nullified to a large extent, however, by the later and heavy infestation of boll worms.

Some of his sulphur treated cotton fruited to a point where it apparently would have made close to a bale per acre if it had not been for the later ravages of the boll worms. As it is, some of his acreage will harvest close to one half bale.

**Will Burn Stalks.**

As a means of destroying host plants of the flea and other insects, Mr. Bryant is planning to burn the stalks and vegetation after the harvest this winter.

"I recognize the fact that burning the stalks is generally bad farming practice but I believe under the unusual circumstances it is justified in this instance," he explained.

Mr. Bryant plans to prepare his ground early and to keep it in good condition during the winter and spring, and to plant his cotton around May 1, next year.

When his cotton begins squaring next season he expects to start in with his sulphur duster, using a light quantity of around four pounds to the acre and continue dusting every five or six days for a series of about five applications.

**Small Acreage Better.**

Aside from the fact that the present cotton market and heavy production suggests the sound judgment of a reduced acreage next year, Mr. Bryant pointed out that a man could not care for the crop as it should be if he planted his limit in cotton. Control measures and intensive cultivation take time and a man cannot give this extra care if he has "planted up to his neck," he explained.

Seed from the fine specimen bolls grown from Bryant seed in the San Benito section, which were recently on display at the Chamber of Commerce, will be planted next spring on the Bryant farm along with the seed of thousands of other selected bolls in the breed plots for the continuous process of experimentation and selection.

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## PENN REPORTED TO BE BAILING IN HIS BAZETTE LOCATION

The Robert R. Penn, Harrison well No. 1, two and a half miles northeast of Powell, which has been drilling for several days has been reported to be bailing out now, depth unknown.

The Carrita Oil and Gas Company has completed its derrick on the Trammel No. 1 and is now moving a rig in, according to information received from H. C. Whitworth of that company. This well is located four and a half miles north of Bazette, two miles east of the Buffalo school and is on the R. M. Matthews survey.


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## STATE HOME AND HUBBARD BATTLED TO TIE FRIDAY

Special to the Sun.

Hubbard, Oct. 11.—The Hubbard High School eleven and the State Orphan's Home lads of Corsicana battled to a scoreless tie in their annual game which was played here Friday.

Both teams put up a determined fight but the defensive tactics of each were equal to the task of keeping their own goal lines safe from scores.

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E. L. Moore of Irene was in Corsicana Saturday afternoon.

Paul Hoffman of Irene was in Corsicana Saturday.

Rev. W. Z. Corbin of Blooming Grove, Baptist minister, was in Corsicana Saturday afternoon.

O. L. Betts of Rodney was here Saturday.

W. H. Schuyler of Barry was here Saturday afternoon.


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| Oversize ... | |
| Dayton 6ply Oversize ... | 13.85 |

### 31x4 S. S. Cords

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| Pharis Regular ..... | $11.90 |
| Alamo Oversize .... | $13.75 |
| Dayton Regular .... | $16.25 |
| Dayton Heavy Duty . | $19.95 |

### 32x4

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| Pharis Regular ..... | $13 75 |
| Alamo Oversize .... | $14.90 |
| Dayton Regular ..... | $17.80 |
| Dayton Heavy Duty . | $21.55 |

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| Dayton Reg. | 11.70 |
| Dayton H. D. 'Thorobred' | 13.75 |

### 30x 4.95

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| Pharis Balloon ..... | $16.95 |
| Dayton Regular ..... | $17.65 |
| Dayton Stabilized Heavy | $19.75 |

### 30x5.25

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| Pharis Balloon ..... | $18.30 |
| Dayton Regular ..... | $18.60 |
| Dayton Stabilized 6-ply . | $25.60 |

### 33x4

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|---|---|
| Pharis Regular ..... | $14.65 |
| Alamo Oversize ..... | $15.95 |
| Dayton Regular ..... | $18.55 |
| Dayton Heavy Duty ..... | $22.25 |

### 33x4½

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| Pharis Giant Heavy ..... | $22.40 |
| Dayton Regular ..... | $25.15 |
| Dayton 8-ply Heavy Duty .. | $29.45 |

### 33x5

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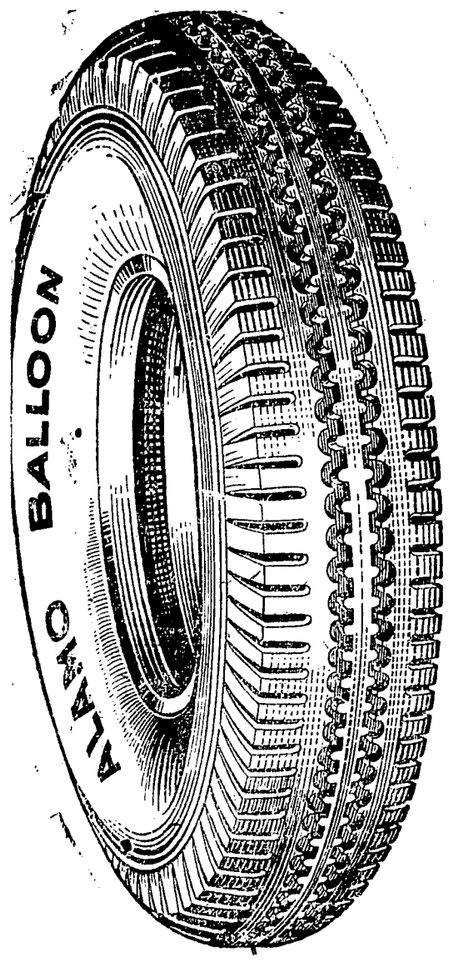
| Pharis Giant ..... | $31.25 |
| Dayton Regular ..... | $34.25 |
| Dayton 8-ply Heavy Duty .. | $39.25 |



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| Pharis Balloon ..... | $18.85 |
| Dayton Regular ..... | $19.20 |
| Dayton Stabilized, 6 ply .... | $26.60 |

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| Pharis Balloon ..... | $22.45 |
| Dayton Regular ..... | $23.70 |
| Dayton Stabilized, 6-ply .... | $30.65 |

### 33x6.00

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| Pharis Balloon ..... | $24.35 |
| Dayton Regular ..... | $25.85 |
| Dayton Stabilized, 6-ply .... | $33.30 |

# TEXAS HIGHWAY ASSOCIATION AND ITS PURPOSES EXPLAINED IN MOST CONVINCING MANNER

By R. M. HUBBARD, President.

Special to the Sun.

New Boston, Texas, Oct. 9.--The Texas Highway Association, an organization of public spirited, progressive business men of Texas was formed for the purpose of promoting and advancing a connected, comprehensive system of state highways, of as near permanent type and durable construction as the skill and ingenuity of man can devise; and of equal importance, a system of county or lateral roads, co-ordinating with the state system; both systems to finally connect every commercial center in Texas with the commercial center, and all agriultural communities in our state with their markets. The early consummation of which purpose being an objective not only earnestly desired by the progressive citizenship of Texas, but one that it is insistently demanding, and which it will eventually obtain. The Association also stands strictly for the efficient and judicious administration of all highway laws of the state, as well as the economical expediture of all highway funds.

**Aims to Aid Legislature.**

To the end that these most laudable purposes may be accomplished at an early date, the Association has rendered in the past, and will continue to render in the future, every possible aid and all the assistance in its power to the members of the Texas Legislature, State Highway Commission and the various Commissioners Courts of the State.

The officers and members of the Association fully realize that the rapidly expanding development of the State's agricultural, educational, commercial and industrial activities of all sections of Texas, requires greatly enlarged and better distributed highway facilities. That the State should go forward with a benefit that so vitally touches the life, welfare and prosperity of every man, woman and child residing in Texas, as speedily as possible, but in such manner and with a program that would in no way be discrimination against, or jeopardize the other equally important, useful, necessary and proper activities of our state government, especially those connected with and pertaining to agriculture and education.

**Cannot Build Roads.**

The association as a corporate body does not, and cannot construct or maintain roads. That must be done by the State and its political subdivisions. However it can, by intensive study of the many intricate and various problems presented; by getting the experiences undergone, and by profiting from the expensive lessons learned by our sister states in their road building programs; and by disseminating this information, do something really constructive and beneficial, and perform a distinct and valuable service for the various agencies, to which the public has delegated the authority and business of procuring its road systems.

Among other important committees, the Association has a Legislative Committee, composed of some of the best students of the many perplexing road problems confronting our State. This committee can and does render valuable assistance, by procuring the necessary data and information and having it readily and easily accessible for presentation to the members of the road committees of the Senate and House of Representatives, as well as to their members of the Texas Legislature, for use in connection with all legislation pertaining to highway matters.

In addition the Association is very active in endeavoring to give the widest publicity of all information that can be secured, to the public; knowing as its membership does, that the public is at all times keenly interested in everything connected with the State's road program.

**Financing Is Question.**

Considered in connection with the steadily increasing demand for more and better highways, the Association deems the question, and its early solution, of the best and most equitable manner of financing both road construction and its maintenance one of paramount importance, deserving the most serious consideration. The best thought and study of the officers of the Texas Highway Association is being given to this problem, to the end that a sane and sensible program be worked out and submitted for the consideration of the proper authorities. It is in favor of a well balanced plan of highway financing, one that will result in the building of durably constructed roads as quickly as possible, and as is economically justifiable; but at the same time, one that will not unfairly lay too much of a burden on any one interest, industry or occupation.

**Tax Burden Heavy.**

One continuously hears the argument, and justly so, that the general taxpayer and especially the agricultural interests, are now too heavily burdened with taxation, and that they together with the small home owners should have their taxes lessened, instead of being increased. On the other hand it is contended that the users of the roads should bear the whole cost of the improvements; not only the construction but also the maintenance of the roads. This contention brings up the natural question of the division of the cost between the present and future users.

Then follows logically the problem of fairly dividing the cost between the present and future users, or the same thing, the present and future generations. Then one hears the opinion often expressed that the one who receives the benefit of an improved road should bear the burden, in proportion to the benefit received. But who does receive the benefit and how would one proportion the cost? Correct answers to these questions would solve only some of the problems. It will require a happy combination of engineering knowledge and sound economic analysis, coupled with good common sense to arrive at an accurate and just solution.

To the accomplishment of these worthy purposes, and to the solution of these most perplexing and intricate problems, the Association will lend its best efforts. It invites the whole hearted co-operation of the entire citizenship of the State.

# EUGENE T. SMITH SLATED FOR HEAD OF HIGHWAY BOARD

By Associated Press.

**Austin, Texas, Oct. 8.—Eugene T. Smith of San Antonio and George Robertson of Meridian today following adjournment Legislature in call session were appointed highway commissioners to succeed Hal Mosely, chairman, and John Bickett, Sr., respectively. Both qualified, being sworn in by Mrs. Emma Grigby Meharg, Secretary of State.**

By Associted Press.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 8.—When the Legislature adjourns at 3 o'clock Friday, Governor Miriam A. Ferguson will announce a acceptance of the resignations of John Bickett, Sr., and Hal Moseley, members of the Highway Commission, and will appoint Eugene T. Smith, Secretary to the Commission as chairman of the commission, and George Robertson, of Meridian, as successor to Bickett. This was announced at the governor's office.

The plan is, it was announced, to accept the resignation of John Cage, third member of the commission, on Monday and appoint Scott Woodard of Fort Worth as his successor. This would carry out the governor's plans, as made public in a letter to Cage, Moseley and Bickett to vacate their offices immediately upon adjournment of the Legislature, but the Senate failed to confirm the appointments.

The Senate postponed action until the Fortieth Legislature and the Governor interpreted the constitution's dictates pertaining to lack of confirmation on recess appointment as leaving offices vacant.

John Bickett, Sr., of San Antonio resigned last week because of poor health. The resignation of Hal Moseley had been in the executive's hands for several days and Cage's resignation is available it was explained.

**No Further Allotments.**

By Associated Press.

Austin, Oct. 8.—A resolution charging the present Highway Commission to grant no further allotments of State aid was adopted Friday by the House.

Representative Alfred Petsch declared the Highway funds for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927, were already so tied up that A. R. Losh, Federal Highway Engineer at Fort Worth, "the other night told Senator Wood he did not see how Texas was going to match Federal aid for 1927."

The adopted resolution recited the Highway Department had admitted $3,763,790 of State aid is under contract and unpaid for; that all the State aid available for construction purposes, $2,412,862, has been allotted; that no funds are available now for letting contracts and allotments; that of the $9,200,000 set aside to cover maintenance and other expenses to the end of the fiscal year, nearly one-half must be set aside to meet Federal aid; and that the Highway Department during the past fiscal year spent for maintenance and otherwise, excepting for State and Federal aid, $10,893,692.

**Allotments Cancelled.**

Austin, Texas, Oct. 8.—Allotments granted on condition in 1925 to Trinity, Refugio and about ten other counties by the Highway Commission, aggregating approximately $3,700,000 have been cancelled, it was revealed today when letters were sent to the counties by the Highway Department notifying them of the decision of the Commission to cancel the allotments.

Among other counties affected are Zavala, Iron, Bailey, Reagan, Aransas, San Patrici and Lamb.

# BUY-A-BALE MOVE LAUNCHED TEXARKANA BY RESTAURANT MAN

Texarkana, Texas, Oct. 8.—The "Buy a bale of cotton" movement was launched here when Demin Panos, proprietor of a cafe, purchased a 525 pound bale from a local grower at 20 cents per pound. A number of other business men will co-operate in the movement it was said.

# CROP FORECAST IS 16,627,000 BALES GOVERNMENT REPORT

## TEXAS ESTIMATE PLACED AT 5,350,000 BALES FOR CURRENT YEAR

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 8.—This year's cotton crop will be the largest ever grown, totaling 16,627,000 bales as compared with the previous record crop of 16,135,930 bales produced in 1924, according to Department of Agriculture figures. The crop gained 817,000 bales since the previous forecast in mid-September, it was indicated in a crop report today.

The Crop Reporting Board, commenting upon the report, said the improvement in prospects resulted primary from the generaly warm weather which prevailed in the last half of September. This enabled the cotton crop to make rapid progress, so that the danger of serious crop damage by frosts is less than it was two weeks go.

Improvement in prospects occurred in all important states except Oklahoma where the cold, wet weather retarded development.

The crop in Texas is largely matured and the deflation of the plant by the leaf worm over large areas has left an unusual amount of cotton open and exposed to hazard from wind and rain. This condition is aggravated by the general shortage of pickers.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 8.—A cotton crop of 16,627,000 bales of 500 pounds gross were indicated by the condition of the crop on October 1, which was 61.3 per cent of a normal, the Department of Agriculture announced today.

The September condition was 59.5 per cent, indicating a crop of 15,810,000 bales. Last year's production was 16,103,679 bales and the October 1 condition was 56.6 per cent.

The indicated yield per acre is now placed at 168.4 pounds compared with 160.0 pounds a fortnight ago and 167.2 pounds the final yield last year.

The condition on Oct. 1 and the indicated production by states follows:

| | Condition. | Production. |
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| Virginia | 65 | 44,000 |
| North Carolina | 68 | 1,200,000 |
| South Carolina | 56 | 1,120,000 |
| Georgia | 59 | 1,340,000 |
| Florida | 61 | 25,000 |
| Missouri | 64 | 225,000 |
| Tennessee | 56 | 390,000 |
| Alabama | 65 | 1,310,000 |
| Mississippi | 68 | 1,600,000 |
| Louisiana | 62 | 700,000 |
| Texas | 59 | 5,350,000 |
| Oklahoma | 60 | 1,630,000 |
| Arkansas | 61 | 1,370,000 |
| New Mexico | 85 | 79,000 |
| Arizona | 80 | 105,000 |
| California | 91 | 122,000 |
| All others | 67 | 17,000 |
| Lower California. (Old Mexico) | 92 | 82,000 |

By Associated Press.

Washinton, Oct. 8.—Cotton of this year's crop ginned prior to October 1 totaled 5,639,284 running bales, counting 162,041 round bales as half bales and including linters, compared with 7,162,248 bales, including 98,059 round bales to that date last year, the Census Bureau announced today.

The ginnings by states to October 1 were:

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| Alabama | 565,824 |
| Arizona | 24,233 |
| Arkansas | 435,450 |
| California | 19,138 |
| Florida | 17,426 |
| Georgia | 602,161 |
| Louisiana | 360,036 |
| Mississippi | 671,007 |
| Missouri | 36,814 |
| New Mexico | 3,408 |
| North Carolina | 240,190 |
| Oklahoma | 178,301 |
| South Carolina | 359,064 |
| Tennessee | 74,107 |
| Texas | 2,048,705 |
| Virginia | 2,252 |
| All others | 1,168 |

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 8.—Cotton prices dropped $4 a bale today after publication of the government crop report indicating a prospective yield of 16,627,000 bales. A flood of selling orders was let loose on the New York cotton exchange, demoralizing the market and smashing prices to the lowest levels in more than quickfive years. December contracts quickly declined to 12.36 cents a pound and January to 12.41 cents.

Ginning for the period was a record figure and traders generally felt that the crop would be the largest ever gathered.

Mill buying on a large scale and speculative covering rallied the afternoon market nearly $1.75 a bale from the extreme low prices of the day. The closing was steady at a net loss of about $2.50 a bale.

By Asosciated Press.

New Orleans, Oct. 8.—Cotton prices dropped 63 to 72 points, or nearly $3.50 a bale and more than $4.00 a bale compared with yesterday's close on the local exchange with the reception of the government report indicating a yield of 16,627,000 bales with a crop condition of October 1 of 61.3.

The government report was more bearish than expected and but for extensive liquidation of last week it was believed the decline would have been much greater. The decline brought the total drop since September 8, a month ago, to 600 points, or $30 a bale.

# LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS 3 P. M. FRIDAY SINE DIE.

By Associated Press.

**Austin, Texas, Oct. 8.—The Thirty-Ninth Legislature here in special session Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock adjourned sine die. A concurrent resolution calling for adjournment at that time was adopted by both Houses As little business remained to be disposed of, both Houses adjourned at 3:30 o'clock without turning back the clock.**

**In the final rush the Senate Friday rushed through a large volume of legislation, extended the investigation into the University of Texas until the Fortieth Legislature and confirmed several hundred notaries public.**

**At 3:30 o'clock the 39th Legislature in special session adjourned sine die.**

# PRESIDENT HEARS PROPOSED SOLUTION OF VEXING PROBLEM

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 9.—A special committee of government officials were appointed by President Coolidge today to investigate cotton market conditions and see what can be done to relieve the situation caused by the slump in prices.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 9.—A symposium of official views and proposed solutions for the problem presented by a repeated surplus production of cotton, king of the Southland's products, and a consequent decline in price, was before President Coolidge today for consideration.

Belief that the Federal Reserve System is able to finance the present crop on whatever sound plan may be devised was expressed to the chief exxecutive by Secretary Melon, while Secretary Jardine added that the crop lends itself easily to credit as is not injured by storage.

"Credit facilities through ordinary banking channels appear to be adequate," said Secretary Jardine, "but we have in addition, if needed, the services and resources of intermediate credit banks. It was for just such emergencies as the present one these banks were established.

"Those in charge of them have assured me that they are ready to do everything in their power. At present they are loaning money freely to the cotton co-operatives and they are prepared to extend credit also to other cotton farmers. If this additional source of credit is needed, it will be drawn upon by the local financial credit associations. With a minimum local capital of $10,000, on which $100,000 might be borrowed for periods ranging from six months to three years at a moderate rate of interest."

Senator Robinson, Democrat of Arkansas, in a White House conference, sought government intervention in the cotton situation in the way of funds with which to finance orderly marketing. He predicted a move would be made at the December session of Congress to modify or abolish the cotton crop reporting service of the Agricultural Department. Representative Black, Democrat, of Texas, also criticized the department's forecast and expressed the opinion the present crop had been greatly overestimated by the Department.

**Long Time Loans at Low Rate.**

By Associated Press.

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 9.—Long term loans at five per cent interest are available for farmers who are holding their cotton because of the low prices it was said Saturday. Directors of the Federal Land Bank, in convention here, said they made arrangements for loans to farmers in this district, according to Grady Mahaffey, vice president of the Federal Bank in this district.

# SHOULD BE SURE OF NEXT STEP BEFORE ANOTHER CUT IN TAX

By Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Oct. 6.—Further federal tax reduction hinges on the insurance of an annual surplus of $100,000,000, which can be determined only after a "full year's trial" of the present rates, the American Bankers' Association convention here was informed today by Garrard B. Winsten, under secretary of the treasury.

A good surplus is in sight for this fiscal year he said, but warned that "it is quite too early to be assured that revenues will keep up."

"The people do not want a reduction one year" he declared, "and new tax the next. The administration has gone far in the past few years, and it should be sure the next step is not over the line. Reductions in expenditures are not likely. We should consider an annual surplus of $100,000,000 as no more than properly balanced budget.

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# EFFORTS TO CHECK RAVAGES ROOT ROT ATTRACT ATTENTION

## PARASITIC GROWTH COILS ITSELF AROUND COTTON ROOT AND SAPS LIFE

Special to the Sun.

College Station, Texas, Oct. 9.—Growing concern on the part of Texas business men and farmers over ravages of cotton root rot, so prevalent in some of the cotton growing sections of the state this year, is reflected in requests being received by the Texas Agricultural Experiment, A. & M. College of Texas, for information regarding ways and means for dealing with this plant disease.

One of the most recent requests of this nature was presented by Col. Clarence Ousley, director of the Texas Safe Farming Association, who came to College Station to confer with specialists of the Experiment Station on the problem. Due to the heavy losses already sustained by Texas farmers as the result of the root rot, the Texas Safe Farming Association has enlisted its efforts in a fight against this parasitic destroyer of the cotton plant, Col. Ousley said. He assured the specialists at the College that the Association expects to continue its work in that field. Various angles of the situation were discussed at the College Station conference, and A. B. Conner, acting director of the Experiment Station in the absence of Dr. B. Youngblood, director, informed Col. Ousley that discoveries of the Experiment Station relative to remedial measures in dealing with the cotton pest would be made available to him for use in recommendations regarding farming practices.

Another meeting with specialists at the A. & M. College has been requested by a large group of Bell county citizens interested in combatting root rot. This meeting, originally scheduled for October 1 at the College, has been postponed until October 7.

It is estimated by Dr. J. J. Taubenhaus, plant pathologist and physiologist of the Experiment Station who has been conducting research studies into the nature and general aspect of the root rot evil, that 16 per cent of the entire cotton crop of Texas this year has been killed by this plant disease. The extent of such loss is fully appreciated when it is known that on June 25 of this year, Texas had a total of 18,948,000 acres in cotton.

Investigation of the root rot problem has shown that the black land area of the state is the most seriously affected. According to Dr. Taubenhaus, root rot is caused by a parasitic growth that coils itself around the roots of the plant and saps its lift. This fungus growth does not limit itself to cotton plants but attacks weeds as well. Research conducted has disclosed so far that more than 500 different weeds, not including grasses have been found to be carriers of the disease.

It has also been disclosed that this paratitic growth appears to be morep revalent in soils where limestone is found. Reactions brought about in such soils appears to be favorable to the development of this growth.

Since the black land soil has pronounced limestone content, the development of the disease is most pronounced in that section of the state, being more acute there than in any other section. The situation is not so acute in West Texas and Northwest Texas, Acting Director Conner pointed out. Forty-three per cent of the cotton yield of the state is produced in the black land country, however, and this renders the problem in that area one of grave portent. The total value of the Texas cotton yield is laced in round figures at $600,000,000 to $00,000,000 annually. Probably $250,000,000 of this is represented by the black land yield.

As pointed out by Dr. Taubenhaus, root rot is by no means a new problem. It has existed and knowledge of its ravages have been known for years. Research into its causes and characteristics has been carried on by the Experiment Station. The extent of the disease appears to vary with the years. This year's ravages are the most pronounced experienced in some time. As pointed out by the A. & M. specialists, the extent of the disease may become only moderate in the following year.

The recent meeting at the A. & M. College for conference on the root rot problem was requested by Col. Ousley through C. H. Alvord, director of the Extension Service. Those who attended included: President T. O. Walton of the College; C. H. Alvord, director and R. R. Lancaster and John Eagan, Extension Service; A. B. Conner, acting director, and Dr. G. S. Fraps, chemist, Dr. J. J. Taubenhaus, plant physiologist, E. B. Reynolds, agronomist, W. B. Lanham, horticulturist, Experiment Station; Dr. J. O. Morgan and J. S. Mogford of the School of Agriculture of the College and Colonel Ousley.

# NEW CAR STOLEN THURSDAY NIGHT ON WEST FIFTH AVENUE

A new Ford roadster belonging to Allen Edens was reported stolen Thursday night. The car was parked on West Fifth avenue in front of the Masonic building, and the car was taken while Mr. Edens was attending lodge. The police department is making an investigation.

# GOSSIP OF OLD WORLD CAPITALS

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

## BERLIN

**Attempt to Solve Housing Shortage by Curtailing Cupid.**

By Associated Press.

Berlin, Oct. 9.—An attempt to solve the housing shortage by curtailing Cupid's activities is being made in Waldenburg by Lorector Schade of the municipal housing commission. A warning which the commission is sending to all couples whose marriage intentions are posted in the city hall in accordance with the law, reads:

"Don't get married. If you do, you will be forced to live with the in-laws. You know what that means. There is no such thing as a 'home of your own.' The commission cannot promise you a place in which to live alone for eight or ten years."

The commission controls absolutely the allocation of living quarters, determining even the number of rooms each family is entitled.

**Germans Praise Walt Whitman.**

German reviewers and critics who long have sung thep raises of Walt Whitman are unanimous in applauding the fact that "America at last has seen fit to memoralize it greatest poet with a statue in New York." Some of thew riters go so far as to see in the erection of the monument "the beginning of a general appreciation of the works of an American long admired in Germany."

**Curious Wedding Custom.**

A curious wedding custom is observed in the industral city of Goerlitz, about mid-way between Berlin and Breslau. On the day before the wedding ceremony bride and groom walk to the cemetery and visit the graves of all departed relatives. The visit is regarded as an invitation to the deceased to be present in spirit at the wedding. It is considered that unless departed relatives are so invited, the marriage will be unhappy.

**Coffee Bootleggers.**

In an effort to curb the activities of coffee bootleggers federal judges are imposing some of the heaviest sentences on record. As receipts from the high tariff on coffee make up a substantial part of Germany's reparation payments, the government is eager to let none of the revenue slip through its fingers. Eight wealthy importers have been sentenced to 18 months in jail each and fined a total of $11,500,000, for attempting to smuggle in only six hundred and fifty sacks of coffee. Bootlegging of the bean through Hamburg is almost as lucrative as rum running in the United States because the retail price of coffee averages $1 a pound.

**Cats Having Hard Life.**

Cats are having such a hard life in Berlin that numerous societies for the protection of the felines are being organized. Society matrons owning high priced Angoras rub elbows with workmen who fondle scrub tom cats at meetings called to protest against ill treament of cats. Speakers at these meetings deplore the fact that civilized people should have so little sympathy with the midnight yowls of cats as to 'throw missiles at them from the windows."

## PARIS

**Newlyweds Resent Edict Limiting Restaurant Meals Two Dishes.**

By Associated Press.

Paris, Oct. 9.—Newlyweds are up in arms against the recent edict limiting restaurant meals to two dishes, since a restaurant has been the essential part of most French celebrations at weddings. It generally consisted of 10, 12 and even 14 courses. The government limit to two courses has turned wedding banquets into comparatively Lenten functions.

The feasting by the wedding party generally began immediately after the ceremoines at the city hall and church about 1 o'clock. It continued uninterrupted until 5 when the party drove off through the Bois De Boulogne or around the suburbs so as to give the waiters an opportunity to clear away the wreckage from the tables. Then the party returned to the restaurant for an evening edition of the afernoon meal.

The landlords of "wedding restaurants"—a specialized branch branch of the food industry—have appealed to the prefect of police, saying that some of these banquets were ordered months ago, long before the ordinance of the two dishes came into effect. They ask that a general exception be made in favor of wedding feasts.

"No compromise, no exception," the prefect ruled. It will be a good start in life for the newlyweds to practice economy, he advised.

**Block for Financial Penitence.**

The "great financial penitence" which successive finance ministers from Caillaux to Poincare have told France she must undergo, is responsible for the predominance of black in day and evening gowns, it is explained by dressmakers. One black dress, they say, can very well last out three colored ones, while rendering the same service as the three.

Judging from scenes at the various watering places and mountain resorts during September, the "great penitence," however, was on the surface only. Favored with July and August weather, September was one of the banner months of the past holiday season. The pleasure resorts were completely filled up until its last day and the visitors spending money with gerat liberality were not foreigners, but natives, as yet seemingly untouched by the shadow of the coming days of depression.

**Need of Priests Acute.**

Young men, study for the priesthood," is one of two signs displayed prominently at the doors of almost every church in the Savoire department.

The other deals with women's fashions and reads: "Ye who enter here must be decently dressed."

The appeal to young men to become priests is followed by this explanation: 'The war has killed 4,618 priests and church scholars and emptied the seminaries where youths were studying to become priests. Ten thousand parishes are without priests and there is only one priest for every 1,661 souls in France and he often is a very old man."

The warning to women is not elucidated.

**Porters' Charges High.**

One hundred francs for carrying two sukcases from the custom shed at Cherbourg to the tender, a trip of less than a hundred yards, is charged by porters. The imposition has caused the foreign steamship companies to take drastic steps against it. The Union of Baggage Porters appear to have singled out Americans for their holdup tactics. In some instances passengers, especially unescorted women have been literally robbed.

One American woman recently embarking on one of the ships flying the American flag gave the porter forty francs. He demanded that she open her bag and produce more money. Terrorized, he woman unclasped her hand bag and showed the porter one twenty franc note, all the French money she had left. "This will have to do," said the holdup man, snapping the bill away. The woman shrieked and one of the officials came along and made the porter disgorge but not without a short, spirited fight.

These insances which had multiplied by hundreds recently caused the skipper of an American ship to send for the walking delegate of the Porters' Union and warn him that if such sharp practice did not cease he would call upon his crew to handle the baggage and give them instructions to give a forced bath to any porter interfering.

"They never come back, these people," said the walking delegate. "I don't see why we should not get al we can out of them."

## LONDON

**Peter-Piperisms Sweeping England in Wake Cross Word Puzzle.**

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 9.—Now that the cross word puzzle, which swept across England from America leaving a trail of thumbed dictionaries in its wake, has spent its force, England has turned to Peter-Piperisms for solace.

Peter-Piperisms are alliterative sentences containing at least eight and not more than twelve words, each word of which begins with the same letter.

'Since short skirts still seem stylish, silk stockings shouldn't sag' is the contribution of one expert. Another hopes "May many more manly miners migrate, marry methodical maids, make much money." Other tongue twisters are: "Mr. Manager, money might make Maud marry my miserable Max—Max's mother.

"Stephen shyly stroking Sylvia's shining shingle, seemingly surmises smiling Sylvia's single," and "Lilly likes licking limp liquorice."

**Long Flight for Woman.**

Lady Hoare, wife of Sir Samuel Hoare, secretary of state for air will accompany her husband on an air flight from London to India late this year. The trip will be the first flight over the new Egypt-India route planned by Imperial Airways, Limited.

**Gossip Center in London.**

Gossip is to have a recognized center in London. The new theatre is being transformed into an amusement center similar to the Potiniere in Paris. Both the stage and auditorium are being altered to make the place more intimate and the management announces that the entertainment will be altered each week so as to include the gossip of London, England, and the whole world in fact.

**Change in Coat Styles.**

Bond Street's newest offerings in coats for women have bloused backs, which women of fashion are accepting as a welcome change from the wooden-soldier type of back which has been in vogue. Black is a favored color in the new coats which are offered in various soft materials trimmed with fur. Caracul is especially in vogue.

**Queen Likes Nothingham Lace.**

Queen Mary has fitted all the rooms of Sandringham Palace with Nottingham lace curtains and also has provided many of the beds in the famous palace with Nottingham lace spreads. This has come as something of a shock to decorators who have been decrying lace curtains such as draperies, which had been relegated to the less fashionable suburbs.

In doing over the old home of the late Queen Alexandria, a free sweep to her own taste has been taken by Queen Mary. The palace was somewhat gloomy with dark hangings and furniture. The queen has banished this gloom entirely and given a very bright, homely appearance to the palace. It was filled with many gifts and trophies of most sentimental value to the late queen but most of these have been removed from the living rooms if they did not conform with the simpler style to decoration Queen Mary has chosen.

**Hits Food Craze.**

There is no subject on which more nonsense is talked than that of food, declared Sir James Browne in a speech in which he dealt with the craze for vitamines. It is necessary, he said, to discriminate between vitaminic science and vitaminic fads. When he reads of dinners arranged on vitaminic principles so as to insure the most abundant supply of those elements he says he wonders that some enterprising restaurant has not added to its menu the most copious source of all vitamins, green grass. Perhaps it is because the example of Nebuchadnezar was not very encouraging, he said.

**Actor Is Quick Thinker.**

Michael Hogan had to do some quick thinking recently to keep a performance of Dostoievski's "The Idiot" at the Little Theatre from going to pieces when the revolver with which he was supposed to kill the heroine failed to go off.

Improvising the line, "I can't do it," he threw the weapon away and choked the heroine to death so realistically that persons in the audience who are not familiar with the play, did not realize there was a hitch in action.

Miss Stella Arbenina, who was acting the role of the murdered heroine, got a bad fright.

'Before I knew what was going on, I found myself on my knees screaming, and Mr. Hogan was clutching at my throat in a way that made me think he was mad. My throat is still sore but it is wonderful that h ewas able to save the scene," she said.

**Ballroom Shoe Fashions.**

There are fashions in ballroom shoes as well as in dress and the former changes almost a soften as the latter. The present craze is for satin shoes which harmonize with the wearer's frock and stockings. They are finished with motifs of sparkling gems or inlaid at the sides with elaborate embroideries. Heels are varied in height and shape, some Cuban, others Louis, and a few with an angle at the back instead of being rounded.

# ENTERTAINMENT IS BEING PLANNED BY LOCAL SHRINE CLUB

The executive committee of the Navarro County Shrine Club met Friday noon at the Navarro Hotel at the call of President Jake Hudson. The object of the meeting was to discuss preliminary plans for presenting an entertainment in Corsicana prior to the Fall Ceremonials which will be held by Hella and Karem in November.

An arrangement committee composed of Charlie Jester, Bill Stroube, Lloyd Wheelock, Mayor J. S. Murchison and Roy Nussbaum was named by the president. This committee will meet next Thursday at which time they will make known their plans and name additional committees to assist in giving the entertainment. At the present it is being considered asking both Hella and Karem to furnish musical features for the affair. No definite plans will be announced until after the Thursday meeting.

The following attended the meeting Friday: J. N. Garitty, J. S. Murchison, Robt. Cooksey, Wayne Howell, Chas. Jester, Jim B. Robinson, Roy Nussbaum, Lynne Wortham, Lloyd Wheelock, G. C. (Jake) Hudson, and Walter Fendley. Luncheon was served by the management of the Navarro Coffee Shop.

# MOTOR BURNED IN GROCERY COMPANY'S STORE FRIDAY NIGHT

Failure to turn a switch off tight Friday night in the Central Texas Grocery Co. resulted in a short which caused a fire at 2:15 Saturday morning and completely destroyed a $125 motor, according to a report received from Fire Chief Elmer Keith Saturday.

One of the night patrolmen of the police department while on duty noticed the house was full of smoke and immediately turned in the alarm. The central Station firemen responded to the call and found that the motor was the only thing destroyed. Nothing in the building was damaged.

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# SETTING DOCKET FOR THIRD WEEK OF DISTRICT COURT

The following is the setting of the docket for the third week of the October term of the Thirteenth Judistrial District for the week beginning Monday, Oct. 18:

**Monday, October 18.**

14206—Estate of Anna Sands, deceased vs. Joe Sands, executor.

14451—Commerce Farm Credit Co. vs. O. L. Albritton et al.

14452—Nancy Powell vs. Elby Powell et al.

14489—Jay Larrimore vs. J. V. Howell et al.

14526—W-R-B Tool Co. vs. Lang & Co.

14545—James Bennett et al vs. F. M. Bennett et al.

14557—H. L. Albritton et al vs Cit yof Corsicana.

14559—Nancy Dixon vs. George Sparks.

**Wednesday, Oct. 20.**

14252—Guy Chapman et al vs. D. W. Ray et al.

14253—Guy Chapman et al vs. Kerens National Bank, garnishee.

14254—Guy Chapman et al vs. First National Bank of Kerens, garnishee.

14597—E. M. Story et ux vs. Simms Oil Company.

14645—Oil City Iron Works vs. Wm. Nicolle et ux et al.

14653—Mrs. Mattie Bailey et al vs. Citizens Mutual Aid Association.

14664—Central Texas Grocery Co. vs. R. L. Sims et al.

**Friday, October 22.**

14335—H. H. Sledge et al vs. H. & T. C. R. R. Co.

14864—Fortson Grocery Company vs. Mary E. Anderson et vir.

14871—M. S. Bounds et al vs. Sun Oil Company..

14666—W. J. Simmons vs. John B. Wilson.

14667—Rose Granville et al vs. George Felnoy et al.

14693—J. E. Tyner vs. J. W. Purifoy et al.

14695—H. H. Sanders vs. Brandford Supply Company.

14702—Magnolia Petroleum Company vs. Mrs. A. M. McEntyre et vir.

14705—Navarro County Levee District No. 8 vs. Alex Freedman.

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# WACO ENGINEER TO HAVE CHARGE ROAD MAINTENANCE HERE

Irving C. Davis of Waco, has assumed his duties as foreman of highway maintenance in Navarro county under the State Highway Department and under the immediate direction of District Engineer D. C. Morris of Waco.

Mr. Davis has had some twelve years' experience in various phases of engineering and highway activities. He brings to his work not only a background of experience but the advantage of an engineering education, including work at the Boston School of Technology.

When the maintenance work under the Highway Department was first inaugurated in this county, it was Mr. Davis who organized the work here and continued it until it was taken over under the private contract of Adam Cone.

Mr. Davis was impressed with the heavy need of maintenance work in this county due to the poor basic type of principal highways. He is already making plans for improvement of conditions and expects to give the county the best possible maintenance of roads permissible under available allowances.

"I look forward with pleasure to my work here and assure the county and city officials of my desire to co-operate in every possible manner with them," said Mr. Davis.

His duties will naturally keep him on the roads most of his time but Corsicana headquarters will be at the Chamber of Commerce.

# CAR THIEVES BUSY AT ELLIS COUNTY FAIR LAST NIGHT

According to information reaching local officers two automobiles were stolen at Ennis Friday night and seven others stripped of parts while the Ellis County Fair was in progress there.

**Sickly, Peevish Children.**

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by Inabnit Drug Co.

**Ice Cream Supper**

at Jester Baptist church Friday night, October 15 for benefit of the church. Everybody invited.

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# FARMERS TAKING GREATER INTEREST IN RAISING STOCK

Better feed crops, a stronger market, and a desire for diversification are given as factors in a renewed interest in livestock by farmers of Navarro and Limestone counties by G. H. Harrison, Supervisor of Tick Eradication Work for these two counties, who offices in the Chamber of Commerce.

Numerous milk cows are being purchased by farmers in the county andin some sections stock cattle are being brought into the county. Mr. Harrison referred to several instances of farmers who, in the last few days purchased stock cattle from Fort Worth and from East Texas points.

The grass is in very good condition and many farmers have a surplus of feed which they figure they can market to better advantage through live stock feeding than through direct sale, he explained.

The drouth last year which cut down the feed crop and made even stock water scarce in many sections, resulted in the disappearance of livestock from many farms, including even the family milk cow. This unfortunate situation is being slowly but steadily remedied, the inspector explained.

# CORSICANA PASTOR HONORED BY DALLAS WORKERS CONVENTION

Rev. Paul J. Merrill, pastor of the First Christian church, was elected president of the Christian Missionary Workers of the Dallas District at their recent meeting in Dallas. The district is composed of Dallas, Ellis, Navarro, Limestone, Henderson and Kaufman counties.

The next meeting of the organization will be held in Corsicana about May 1, 1927 and representatives from about 48 churches are expected to attend. Each church sends four representatives. The meeting will be held in the First Christian church here.

Other officers elected at the recent meeting were: The Rev. Byron Hester, pastor of Oak Lawn Christian church, vice president: the Rev. C. E. Chambers, Forney, secretary. Dr. L. N. D. Wells, pastor of East Dallas Christian church was elected for a three-year term on the State executive board.

## COURT HOUSE NEWS.

From Saturday's Daily:

**District Court.**

The grand jury adjourned late Friday afternoon until Monday and returned indictments as follows: Forgery and passing a forged instrument, 5; burglary 1, theft 1; robbery 2.

Friday, due to the illness of W. M. Conner, foreman, the court appointed S. H. Butler foreman of the grand jury.

R. Smith vs. Annie Neal Smith, divorce granted.

L. E. Leather vs. Sue Leather, divorce granted.

Dewey Todd vs. Jessie Todd, divorce granted.

Bessie Turner vs. Wilson Turner, divorce granted.

Mary Harper vs. R. H. Harper, divorce granted.

Blanche McEwin vs. R. W. McEwin, divorce granted.

Frances Harnes vs. Virgil Harnes, divorce granted.

H. C. Allen vs. Harriet Allen, divorce granted.

Johnnie West vs. Clark West, divorce granted.

Nealie Perkins vs. Mitch Perkins, divorce granted.

Jimmie Haywood vs. Erskin Haywood, divorce granted.

Fannie Lon Washington vs. John Henry Washington, divorce granted.

Tom Holland vs. Martha Holland, divorce granted.

Archie L. Spencer vs. Tommie Bell Spencer, divorce granted.

Cleo Pullin vs. Alvy Pullin, divorce granted.

**District Clerk's Office.**

The following case was filed:

Myra Allen vs. J. B. Allen, divorce.

**Sheriff's Office.**

George Granger, wanted here on a charge of forgery who was arrested in Graham, Texas, several days ago, was brought to the Navarro county jail Friday night by Deputy Sheriff Rufus Pevehouse.

**Assignments.**

R. L. Tucker to Star Petroleum Company, 14 acres M. Boren survey, $1 and other considerations.

E. L. Smith Oil Company to G. C. Dixon, 20 acres M. Boren survey, $1 and other considerations.

**Oil and Gas Leases.**

W. L. Garrett et ux to G. C. Dixon, 10 acres D. D. Anderson survey, $1 and other considerations.

**Warranty Deeds.**

T. B. Sadler et ux to E. B. Sherrard, 25 acres John Richardson survey, $6,200.

**Marriage License.**

E. R. Shadix and Lucille Nichols.

Charlie Claunch and Lizzie Bordan.

I. W. A. Murris and Mrs. A. A. Wigley.

Fred L. Scogin and Luvania Wilbanks.

**Mineral Deeds.**

Matt Conner, guardian, to Louis Jarinkis et al, undivided 2-9ths interest in 60 acres Thomas Pratt survey, $266.66.

**Justice Cuort.**

One was fined by Judge Sullivan for operating a car without license.

# ARKANSAS SENATOR ASKS PRESIDENT TO AID COTTON FARMER

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 8. Government financial aid to meet the situation in the South caused by the slump in cotton prices was urged upon President Coolidge today by Senator Robinson, Democrat, of Arkansas.

Although the agency through which this money could be put forward was not mentioned specifically by the Senator, he indicated a belief it should be done through banks, perhaps the Federal Reserve System on a commercial basis. The reaction of the President to the proposal, he interpreted as favorable.

Mr. Robinson also told the President of charges in the South that the drop in cotton prices from 20 to 13c was in large measure due to the estimates of the Department of Agriculture on the crop which, he added, were felt too high. The dissatisfaction with the reports, he asserted, was nothing new and he predicted that a move would be made in Congress this winter to have the system radically revised or abolished entirely.

**Sees Economic Disaster.**

By Associated Press.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 8.—Economic disaser will prevail in the South unless conditions are altered materially before the end of the cotton harvest, in the opinion of C. Singleton Green, secreary of the Southern Yarn Spinners' Association.

He believes that the movement to withhold cotton from market is "neither feasible nor possible."

"Even if it were feasible or possible to hold a vast amount of cotton from the market I cannot see that it would have a permanent effect on the price. All cotton traders would know of its existence and that it could be dumped on the market at any time the holders chose."

## COURT HOUSE NEWS.

From Friday's Daily:

**District Court.**

The grand jury was still in session Friday and it is not known when the body will adjourn. W. M. Conner, foreman of the grand jury is reported on the sick list.

**District Clerk's Office.**

The following cases were filed:

C. E. King et al vs. Magnolia Petroleum Company, et al, to remove cloud from title and damages on 160 acres of Wm. J. Cairnes survey.

S. Glanton vs. Texas Employees Insurance Association and J. S. Snyder and Son, to set aside award of industrial accident board.

**Sheriff'd Office.**

Officers Crumbley, Howard and Burke arrested two negresses Thursday night in connection with the finding of a quantity of choc beer and lodged them in the county jail.

Deputy Sheriff Jack Stafford of Limestone county came to Corsicana early Friday morning fo. Odell Gregory as a witness in the automobile theft case for which Boss Caskey of Corsicana is standing trial in Groesbeck this week.

**Marriage License.**

Archie Smith and Ruby Saddlefield.

**Oil and Gas Leases.**

John T. Fortson and Joe B. Fortson to C. W. Wolke, 100 acres Abnes S. McDonald survey, $1000.

John T. Fortson and Joe B. Fortson to C. W. Wolke, 50 acres Adam J. Smith survey, $500.

J. E. Miller et ux to W. E. McKinney, 29.6 acres Turner Smith survey, $10 and other considerations.

**Warranty Deeds.**

W. J. Seelig et ux to Charles G. Jester, one-half interest in a part of block 384, Corsicana, $1,000.

I. T. McManus to Leo Boatwright 80 acres John Wooten survey, $10 and other considerations.

**Mineral Deed.**

W. L. Crowley et ux to T. W. Lovett, 1-256th interest in 142 acres R. H. Matthews survey, $10 and other considerations.

**Justice Court.**

Judge Sam B. Jordan dealt with a couple of affray cases Friday afternoon.

Judge J. J. Sullivan fined two on charges of vagrancy Friday.

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# FRANK MITCHELL IS NAMED CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY TREASURER

At the meeting of the Navarro County Democratic Executive Committee held at the county courtroom at 10 o'clock, Frank Mitchell of Corsicana was nominated on the second ballot to succeed George B. Wallace, nominee in the August primary, who died here recently. There were eight applications balloted upon and prior to the voting two withdrew, there being ten petitions presented.

Out of the forty-eight voting boxes of the county, there were thirty-eight represented.

George W. Walton, county chairman, presided, and John C. Beck of Frost was secretary.

Following were the applications presented to the committee:

Mrs. George B. Wallace, T. J. Oliver, J. M. McFadden, W. H. Smith, A. G. Weems, Frank Mitchell, W. O. McDonald, J. S. Petty. The applications of Messrs. Carraway and Summers were withdrawn before the balloting.

Petitions from approximately 250 citizens of the Kerens precinct and 90 from the Bazett community were presented on behalf of J. M. McFadden. H. B. Daviss of Corsicana spoke in behalf of Mrs. Wallace.

On the first ballot, Frank Mitchell and Mrs. Wallace were high candidates and in the second ballot, Mr. Mitchell received 21 votes and Mrs. Wallace 17.

All of the committeemen signed the certificate of nomination which was presented to County Judge Warren Hicks so that the name of Frank Mitchell will be placed on the official ballot for the general elections Nov. 2, 1926.

The following committeemen were present:

1—Ward One—M. A. Johnson, Corsicana.

2—Ward Two—W. C. Ralston, Corsicana.

3—Ward Three—Fred Upchurch, Corsicana.

5—Angus—W. L. Bailey, Angus.

6—Barry—L. W. Varnell, Barry.

9—Bazette—C. C. Mills, Kerens, R. F. D.

10—Birdston—R. L. Kelley, Streetman, R. F. D.

11—Cade — Wayne Milligan Streetman, R. F. D.

12—Cryer Creek—E. J. Cruse, Barry, R. F. D.

13—Chatfield—W. A. Mizell, Chatfield.

14—Corbett—J. W. Nokes, Corbett.

15—Dresden—J. H. Haden, Barry Rt. 2.

17—Eureka—J. T. Dunham, Eureka.

19—Frost—John Beck Frost.

20—Kerens, N. S. Crawford, Kerens.

21—Drane—J. R. Thomas, Corsicana, R. F. D.

22—Emhouse—C. W. Collins, Emhouse.

23—Montfort—J. T. Montfort, Roane, Rt. 1.

24—Mildred—T. P. Allen, Corsicana, R. 4.

25—Navarro Mills—Tell Woodall, Purdon, R. 1.

26—Oak Villey—E. F. Little, Corsicana, R. 3.

29—Petty's Chapel—C. H. Blankenship, Corsicana, R. 6.

31—Richland—W. L. Cunningham, Richland.

32—Currie—L. D. Craig, Currie.

33—Rural Shade—J. R. Brunner, Kerens, R. 4.

35—Rice—C. A. Nowlin, Rice.

36—Navarro—C. A. Moore, Navarro.

37—Rushing—R. M. Wilson, Wortham, R. 1.

38—Spring Hill—Chas. Matthews, Dawson, R. F. D.

39—Tupelo—L. M. Williams, Rice, R. 1.

41—White's Chapel—F. P. McQuiston, Corsicana, R. F. D.

42—Emmett—J. T. Ballew, Frost, R. 3.

43—Rodney—O. L. Betts, Dawson, R. 1.

44—Westbrook—J. W. Burroughs, Powell, R. 1.

45—Eldorado Center—W. E. Anderson, Dawson, R. 1.

46—New Raleigh—R. F. Pevehouse, Blooming Grove.

47—Phillips Chapel—M. Bryant, Corsicana, R. 5.

48—Retreat—Posey Wilson, Corsicana, R. 3.

The committeemen from Ward 4, Blooming Grove; Black Hills, Dawson, Cryer Creek, Powell, Pursley, Purdon, Winkler and Roane were absent.

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# VERNON FARMER LOSSES HEAVILY CONFIDENCE GAME

By Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 9.—Police are looking for a negro who took $113 in cash from Walter Hordman of Vernon, promising that he would return shortly with a load of cotton pickers.

This is the largest amount taken in the "confidence cotton game," as the police here term it, in some time. Warnings against it have been issued from time to time.

# CREDIT RESOURCES OF COUNTRY AMPLE CARE FOR COTTON

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 8.—Secretary Jardine expressed confidence today that the present and potential credit resources of the country are entirely adequate to meet the requirements of this present cotton crop, however beautiful it may prove. Replying to a letter from Edward A. O'Neil, president of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, who had described the cotton situation as grave, the agriculture secretary declared he was confident that the situation was very largely due to panic condition, which, he hoped, would be temporary.

"The basic economic conditions of the country are sound, and cotton producers must soon realize that the intrinsic value of this crop has not changed in the past few weeks," he wrote.

"The people of the world need all the cotton that we can produce," he added. "We are in a position to supply their needs in an orderly manner. Cotton is not a perishable commodity. We have the necessary facilities for storing the crop for months or if need be for years and ample credit to carry it. Cotton in storage is probably the soundest basis for credit that we know."

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# GOVERNOR SELECTS DELEGATES COTTON CONFERENCE MEMPHIS

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 9.—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Saturday announced the Texas delegation to the All-South cotton conference at Memphis, Tenn., October 13.

Those in the delegation are: Mike Thomas, Dallas; Homer D. Wade, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce; T. O. Walton, president of Texas A. & M. College, C. R. Miller and Everett Owen of Dallas; Joseph Rubins and Leopold Bache of San Antonio; John T. Orr, of Dallas, president of the Texas Farm Bureau cotton association; Earl B. Smyth of Mart; Jack Mos, Cisco; O. L. Slaton, Lubbock; T. C. Westbrook, Waco; Clifford B. Jones, Spur; and C. K. Durham and Edgar Mann, Waco.

# LOCAL MERCHANT ENTHUSIASTIC OVER GENERAL PROSPERITY

J. M. Dyer, Jr., who has just returned from his second visit to the Eastern markets for the fall and winter purchases of the J. M. Dyer Dry Goods Co., is very much enthused over the general prosperity of the country as was in evidence throughout the markets. Mr. Dyer states that New York is full o. buyers from every section of the country and that all are buyin, heavily for the coming seasons.

Being forced to go to market for the second time this season owing to the great demand for ready to wear Mr. Dyer took time to lay in a big supply of the latest merchandise for every department, and especially for their ready to wear department. The firm is looking forward to a good fall and winter business and has prepared to meet any demand in their line.

## Inmates Odd Fellows Home Go Ellis Fair

Sixty children and fifteen of the inmates of the Old Folks Home of the I. O. O. F. Widows and Orphan's Home went to Ennis Friday to attend the Ellis County Fair.

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# ANNUAL CONVENTION OF LEGIONNAIRES IN BUSINESS SESSION

## WILL ELECT COMMANDER AND SELECT MEETING PLACE NEXT YEAR

By Associated Press.

Philadelphia, Oct. 11.- Shock troops from every state overran the city today and as an official communique might phrase it, the Philadelphia sector was captured without casualties, for the eighth annual convention of the American Legion.

Amid the sounds of bugles, drums and greetings by former comrades, thousands of delegates marched from railroad stations and steamship docks to their headquarters. Medals that told of deeds of valor on the battle fields adorned the breasts of many.

Women, wearing brilliant red overseas caps and flowing capes mingled in the hosts of khaki, blue, gray and orange colored uniforms.

A busy week is ahead of the delegates. Among other things it will elect a new national commander and decide whether the 1927 convention shall be in Paris.

**Miami After Convention.**

Miami is conducting a lively campaign for the 1927 convention. Attired in white flannels, orange-colored overseas caps, white shoes and walking sticks, the Southerners marched through the streets with all sorts of banners setting forth their claims.

"Miami may be down, but she's never out," reads one of the banners.

President Coolidge sent to convention a message praising the Legion's efforts to have all qualified citizens vote.

"Shirkers in peace time are to be condemned as severely as slackers during a war," said the message. "I am particularly gratified to know that, in co-operation with the National Civic Federation, you are throwing the splendid resources of your organization into the important work of arousing our citizens to take part in elections. We cannot retain our liberties under our representative form of government if we do not keep it representative."

**National Commander Optimistic.**

Reviewing the work of the Legion last year, the report of John R. McQuigg, national commander, says there never has been a time when the public was so willing to co-operate in carrying out the Legion's aims and purposes.

The membership is now 673,229, an increase of 79,614 over 1925, and greater than at any time since December, 1922.

The national rehabilitation committee handled more than 17,000 cases for veterans and their dependents last year. These resulted in the recovery of nearly two million dollars in actual cash benefits.

Referring to child welfare work, the commander's report says:

"All our efforts are bent toward a practical realization of our slogan 'A home for every homeless child of a veteran.'

**Raised Endowment Fund.**

In the last two years the Legion has raised and invested five million dollars as a permanent endowment fund, the income to be devoted to the rehabilitation of disabled comrades and the care of their orphan children.

The Legion intends to foster and perpetuate real Americanism, as it intends to strive for the maintenance of law and order. This is the keynote of the report of Wilder Metcalf, chairman of the national finance committee of the Legion. His report referred to "the growing disregard of law."

Ratification by the United States Senate of the Geneva protocal forbidding the use of gas is opposed by the Legion, it is announced by John Thomas Taylor of the Legislative committee.

"Gas is one of the most humane weapons and one of the most effective to bring any war to a speedy end," says the statement, which asserts that pacifist organizations have emphasized the horror side of the matter.

**Sick and Convalescent.**

Owen Cheney of Cheneyboro, who was operated on Sunday morning at the Navarro County Hospital is reported to be doing nicely by the hospital authorities Monday afternoon, which will be good news to Mr. Cheney's many friends.

Shad Mims of the Humble Oil & Refining Company is now back at work after a brief illness from an operation of tonsilitis and having his adenoids removed, according to information received at the Humble office Monday morning.

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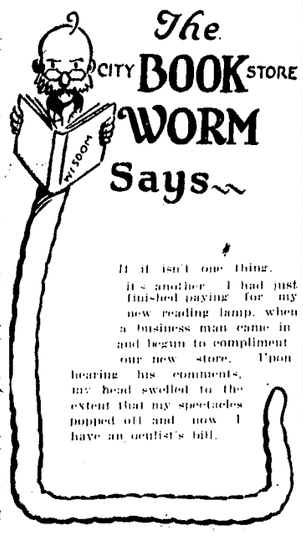




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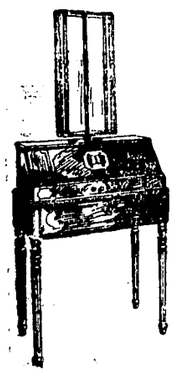

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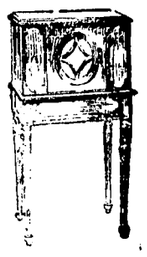

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# TWO KILLED AND THREE INJURED IN GASOLINE EXPLOSION

By Associated Press.

Enid, Okla., Oct. 11.—Two women were killed and three others were injured, one of them critically, late yesterday in an explosion at a casinghead gasoline plant in an oil field, six miles southeast of Billings.

The dead:

MISS THELMA DURKEE, aged 17., daughter of George Durkee of Billings.

MRS. GRAYDON DODSON, aged 17, wife of the superintendent of the plant.

The injured: Edna Powell, aged 17, Inez Clouse, aged 14, and Miss Margare Durkee.

Of the injured Miss Powell is considered the most seriously burned.

The explosion occurred when the group of women was inspecting the plant. It is claimed one of the party dropped a match to the cement floor and that some one stepped on it causing a spark. The room had considerable gas in it and the blast followed.

# TWENTY DERRICKS REPORTED DOWN IN OIL FIELD TWISTER

With about twenty derricks on the ground, blown down Saturday, shortly after noon by a twister that swept across the Powell oil field, toppling over derricks and sending oil field workers to shelter in double quick time, oil companies are today preparing to rebuild the derricks as soon as possible, according to information received from various oil officials in Corsicana Monday morning.

One oil man said it would cost $1,500 to build a new derrick. At that rate the storm's damage can be pretty closely estimated at $30,000 for **derricks** alone. Some companies **are** planning to use old material **which** is expected to reduce the loss considerably.

The Gulf Production Company had three derricks blown down on the Bush lease, Nos. 3, 4 and 5, all of which were producing about 150 barrels each daily. The Tidal Company, who have their offices there in the field, also lost two derricks on the Bush lease.

The Humble Oil Company lost two derricks which were the Humble-Humphries No. 9 and the Humble, Varner and Humphries No. 3. The Humble Company will use old material in rebuilding, it was learned.

An unofficial report said that the Magnolia Company lost one derrick and the Atlantic lost two. The derrick on the Carrita Oil and Gas Company's Trammel No. 1., R M. Matthews survey, was blown down. This was a newly constructed derrick and the rig had just been moved in. It is located four and a half miles north of Bazette, two miles due east of the Buffalo school.

A driller on the Emmett O'Birne well narrowly escaped being hit as he ran from the falling derrick. This well was also on the Bush lease

STATEMENT of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light, published Tues. and Fri. at Corsicana, Texas for Oct. 1, 1926.

TE STATE OF TEXAS.
COUNTY OF NAVARRO—ss.

Before me a Notary Public in and for the State and county afroesaid, personally appeared Lowry Martin, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the business manager of the Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light, and that the following is to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true sttement of theownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411 Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reserve of this form, to-wit

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Lowry Martin, Corsicana, Texas.
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LOWRY MARTIN,
Business Manager.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 11th day of October 1926.

BOYCE MARTIN,
(My commission expires July 1, 1927.)
(SEAL)

# Markets

**Local Cotton Receipts.**

Moore and Godley have weighed 1035 bales, the Corsicana Warehouse 3806 and Bryson 250 making a total of 5091.

Local spots 11.50 to 13.50.

Seed $17 per ton.

**Cotton Opens at Advance.**

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 11.—The cotton market opened firm at an advance of 27 to 35 points on active covering promoted by relatively firm Liverpool cables, reports of rains or showers in the South and was further stimulated by Washington advices concerning the appointment of a commission by President Coolidge to co-operate in plans for the storing and financing of surplus supplies.

December sold up to 13.13 and March to 13.45 in early trading, net advances of about 32 to 37 points on active positions.

Prices were within a few points of the best at the end of the first half hour.

The early advance extended to 13.26 for December and 13.60 for March, net gains of about 40 to 49 points, but the bulk of buying was attributed to covering. Demand seemed to taper off after the close of Liverpool. Southern selling was not much in evidence, but enough realizing by recent buyers caused reactions of 10 to 12 points from the best. At mid-day December was selling around 13.16 and March 13.48, or about 34 to 36 points net higher.

Demand tapered off during midday and there was a little more selling early in the afternoon probably in anticipation of the usual spurt in Soutern hedging toward the close. December reacted to 13.13 and March to 13.45 or about 15 points from the high level of the morning.

Offerings were not heavy and the market held fairly steady around 2 o'clock.

**New Orleans Cotton Opens Firm.**

By Associated Press.

New Orleans, Oct. 11.—The cotton market opened firm due to better cables than expected, bad weather in the belt over Sunday and indications for continued unfavorable weather conditions. First trades showed gains of 20 to 34 points with December trading to 13.10, January to 13.20, and March to 13.38 or 32 to 36 points above Saturday's close. After the first rush had subsided, the market eased off losing 4 to 8 points.

The market was firm all morning and prices advanced on outside buying due to heavy rains in the central and Western part of the belt. Shorts covering for over the holiday tomorrow in both American markets also contributed to the advance which carried December up to 13.27, January to 13.24 and March to 13.53 or 49 to 51 points up from Saturday's close. The market eased off 5 to 7 points on realizing near noon, but the undertone continued firm on the outlook for further unsettled weather andp probably a cold wave to follow the rainy spell.

The market, although easing off about 10 to 13 points from the highs on profit taking by early buyers, continued to rule steady during the afternoon. The various measures being taken to encourage farmers to hold cotton for better prices are infusing a better feeling.

**New York Futures Close Advance.**

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 11.—Cotton futures closed steady at net advance of 37 to 39 points.

| | High | Low | Close | Prev. Close | Opg. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 13.38 | 13.18 | 13.28-30 | 12.90 | 13.13 |
| Mar. | 13.60 | 13.40 | 13.51-53 | 13.12 | 13.42 |
| May | 13.80 | 13.60 | 13.70-73 | 13.31 | 13.67 |
| July | 13.96 | 13.79 | 13.89-90 | 13.50 | 13.87 |
| Dec. | 13.26 | 13.02 | 13.18-19 | 12.81 | 13.02 |

**New Orleans Also Closes Higher.**

By Associated Press.

New Orleans, Oct. 11.—Cotton futures closed very steady at net advance of 45 to 51 points.

| | High | Low | Close | Prev. Close | Opg. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 13.34 | 13.11 | 13.30-32 | 12.85 | 13.19 |
| Mar. | 13.53 | 13.28 | 13.48-50 | 13.02 | 13.35 |
| May | 13.69 | 13.47 | 13.67-69 | 13.17 | 13.48 |
| Oct. | 13.13 | 12.91 | 13.13 | 12.62 | 12.67 |
| Dec. | 13.27 | 12.98 | 12.23-25 | 12.78 | 12.98 |

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—Grain table:

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | |
| Dec. | 1.39 1-8 | 1.37 1-8 | 1.38 7-8 |
| May | 1.43 1-2 | 1.42 | 1.43 1-4 |
| Corn— | | | |
| Dec. | 79 | 77 1-2 | 78 1-2 |
| May | 86 3-8 | 84 5-8 | 86 1-4 |
| Oats— | | | |
| Dec. | 44 1-2 | 43 1-8 | 44 3-8 |
| May | 48 3-4 | 47 3-8 | 48 1-4 |
| Rye— | | | |
| Dec. | 99 12 | 97 7-8 | 99 1-2 |
| May | 1.05 1-2 | 1.04 3-8 | 1.05 1-2 |
| Lard— | | | |
| Lard— | | | |
| Oct. | 13.55 | 13.22 | 13.35 |
| Nov. | 13.62 | 12.27 | 13.35 |
| Jan. | 13.25 | 13.02 | 13.07 |
| Ribs— | | | |
| Oct. | .... | .... | 12.75 |
| Nov. | .... | .... | 12.75 |
| Bellies— | | | |
| Oct. | 14.52 | 14.50 | 14.52 |
| Nov. | .... | .... | 13.87 |

**Cotton Exchanges Close Tuesday.**

By Associated Press.

New York and New Orleans exchanges will close tomorrow for Columbus Day.

**Wheat Prices Rallied.**

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—Rains and snow in the Canadian Northwest rallied wheat prices today after downturns at the start. Opening 1-8 to 1-2 off, values soon began to show gains.

Corn, oats and provisions were also relatively firm, corn, starting half decline to 1-8 advance and later rising all around to well above Saturday's finish.

**Liverpool Spots Steady.**

By Associated Press.

Liverpool, Oct. 11.—Cotton spots steady. American strict good middling 8.03; good middling 7.68; strict middling 7.43; middling 7.08; strict low middling 6.68; low middling 6.08; strict good ordinary 5.53; good ordinary 4.88. Sales 7,000 bales, 4,500 American.. Receipts 31,000 bales, American 24,100.

**Poultry Is Steady.**

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—Poultry, alive, steady; fowls 25 1-2; springs 22 1-2; turkeys 34; roosters 18 1-2; ducks 21; geese 19.

**Butter Is Lower.**

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—Butter lower; creamery extras 45 1-4; standards 44; extra firsts 42 1-2 @ 44; firsts 38 1-2 @ 40 1-2; esconds 35 @ 37 1-2. Eggs higher; firsts 38 @ 40; ordinary firsts 33 @ 36; refrigerator extras 35 1-2; refrigerator firsts 34 1-2.

**Potatoes Are Weak.**

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—Potatoes weak; Wisconsin sacked and bulk round whites 1.75 @ 2.00; Minnesota sacked round whites 1.75 @ 1.90; Minnesota, North Dakota sacked Rer River Ohio's 2.00 @ 2.45; Idaho sacked Russets 2.00 @ 2.50; sacked Rurals 2.00 @ 2.45.

**Livestock Market.**

By Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 11.—Cattle 6,200; including 2,000 calves; lower; beeves 6.00 @ 8.50; stockers 5.25 @ 7.75; fat cows 4.00 @ 5.75; heifers 5.25 @ 8.50; yarlings 6.50 @ 9.00; bulls 4.00 @ 4.75; calves 4.00 @ 10.00.

Hogs: 1,300; lower, light 13.95 @ 14.00; medium 14.00 @ 14.15; heavy 13.50 @ 13.75; sows 11.00 @ 11.50; pigs 13.50 @ 14.00.

Sheep: 3,550; steady; lambs 12.00 @ 13.50; weathers 7.75 @ 8.00; stockers 8.00 @ 8.25.

By Associated Press.

Kansas City, Oct. 11.—U. S. D. A.)—Cattle: 40,000; calves 7,000; killing steers and yearlings very slow, around steady with last week's dull close; she stock slow, weak to 25c lower; bulk butcher cows 4.50 @ 5.50; heifers mostly 6.50 down; low cutters and cutters 3.50 @ 4.00; bulls steady; vealers 50c lower; top 13.50; weighty calves weak to 50c lower; mostly 75c down. Few choice medium weights 8.00; stockers and feeders mostly 15c to 25c off, western grassers 6.00 @ 7.50.

Hogs: 7,000; uneven; desirable lights and butchers scarce, weak to 10c lower; light lights mixed grades and packing sows slow; 15c to 25c lower; top 13.30 on 230 pounds; bulk of sales 12.50 @ 13.25; desirable 170 to 230 pounds 13.00 @ 13.25; 175 to 235 12.75 @ 13.25; lights 12.50 @ 12.75; packing sows 10.00 @ 11.00; stock pigs steady 12.75 @ 13.50.

Sheep: 14,000; killing classes steady; top lambs 14.10; others downward to 13.50; top ewes 6.25; others 6.00; best feeding lambs held around 12.50.

**Bear Drive on Stocks Continues.**

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 11.—The bear drive against the stock market was resumed at the start of trading today when prices of leading rails and industrials opened sharply lower. Improvement in the credit outlook, as reflected in the large increase in local bank reserves, failed to check the selling movement which sent General Motors, Du Pont, Allied Chemical, General Asphalt, American Can and Atchison 1 to 4 points lower.

Growing concern over the reduced market volume of the cotton crop was blamed for the nervous tone of trading which resulted in withdrawal of support for the market leaders as well as numerous specialties which have been involved in pool operations. Pressure also was brought to bear against investment rails such as Atchison, Chesapeake and Ohio and Atlantic Coast Line, all of which developed pronounced weakness. U. S. Steel sold at the lowest point since the final weak of July and General Motors fell back around 150, more than 23 points under its recent high. Large offerings of the motor, oil, chemical and food shares brought recessions of one to five points in Atlantic Refining, Hudson, Coca Cola, Commercial Solvents "B" and Case Threshing Mechane. A rally of 11 points in Italian Lire to the highest level of the year, featured the irregular opening of the Foreign exchange market.


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# Court House

Items of Interest From Temple of Justice

**District Court.**

The following have been summoned at petit jurors for the third week of the October Term of the district court for the week beginning Monday, Oct. 18:

E. L. Dupuy, Corsicana; J. A. Echols, Corsicana; E. A. Eliot, Corsicana; J. H. Evetts, Corsicana; B. H. Frick, Corsicana; J. T. Garner, Corsicana; W. S. Goode, Corsicana; W. A. Hammett, Corsicana; E. G. Harris, Corsicana; Leon Haste, Corsicana; T. J. Hickey, Corsicana; Eugene Highnote, Corsicana; W. T. Hipps, Corsicana; R. G. Hodge, Corsicana; B. B. Crawford, Kerens; Grover Crawford, Kerens; T. J. Crowley, Kerens; J. R. Horn, Kerens; L. D. Bounds, Currie; C. J. Tyner, Currie; R. F. Berry, Cade; W. C. Harris, Cade; L. Banks, Powell 1; M. D. Gann, Powell 1; G. W. Howell, Kerens; C. J. Berryman, Frost; C. B. Bigbie, Frost; J. W. Blyth, Frost; C. B. Farmer, Black Hills; C. S. Gullett, Black Hills; J. M. Beasley, Dawson; N. G. Clark, Dawson; W. E. Bounds, Dawson; R. S. Selby, Emmett; J. T. Stroder, Emmett; Ed J. Berry, Navarro Mills.

The grand jury resumed its work Monday after adjourning Friday afternoon.

Henry Butler vs. Lizzie Butler, divorce granted.

Idella Jones vs. Getson Jones, divorce granted.

The cases styled A. H. Dosser et al vs. John T. Fortson et al, and Mrs. Lucy Dosser et al vs. John T. Fortson et al, damages, as a result of the building of levees, consolidated by agreement, went on trial in the district court Monday morning. The jury was selected and the remainder of the jury for the week was excused. The jury selected in this case were excused until Tuesday morning so that the counsel in the case could work on the case further. This case was tried once before and the jury was unable to agree, it was stated.

**District Clerk's Office.**

The following cases were filed:

Ex parte, Beatrice Westbrook, to remove disabilities of minority.

Ex parte, Theadore Westbrook, to remove disabilities of minority.

Elmer Buchanan vs. Willie Buchanan, divorce.

**Mineral Deeds.**

T. P. Dunagan et ux to J. F. Slater et al, 1-32nd interest in 19 3-4 acres Mary Smith survey, $100.

W. L. Crowley et ux to M. L. Derden et al, 50 acres R. H. Matthews survey, $10 and other considerations.

**Warranty Deeds.**

J. L. Baker et ux to J.D. Farmer 100 acres of the D. W. Campbell and W. M. Cox surveys, $4,483.34.

R. C. Love to Charles L. Wilson, lot 2, block 430-D, Corsicana, $350.

J. F. Mock et ux to C. H. Mock and Myrtle Mock, 64 acres B. B. B. & C. survey, $5,000.

**Oil and Gas Leases.**

W. J. Tramel et ux to DeArman Bros., 109 1-2 acres R. H. Matthews survey, $ and other considerations.

C. B. Banks et ux to DeArman Bros., 17 1-2 acres R. H. Matthews survey $200.

Corsicana National Bank of Corsicana to Pure Oil Company, 100 acres W. P. Kinkannon survey $4,500.

**Assignments.**

Pure Oil Company to Cosden Oil and Gas Company, 160 acres of the W. P. Kincanno nsurvey, $1 and other considerations.

**Marriage License.**

Curtis Conner and Zella Marr.

Paul J. Rash and Buna Madden.

Canton Fanche and Mrs. Bricie Andrews.

Wilbur N. Hines and Ruth Richardson.

**Births.**

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mince, Corbett, October 5, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Benjamin Lee, Powell R. 1, September 29, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomas Wilson, Kerens, R. 1., September 29, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Tom Carl, Corsicana, October 2, a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Edgar Shelton, Chatfield, September 17, a son.

**Justice Court.**

Judge Sullivan fined three for violating the highway laws and one for drunkenness during the week end.

Judge Jordan fined two for violating the highway laws, and one for drunkenness during the week-end. Judge Jordan performed one negro marriage ceremony and four white marriage ceremonies during the week-end.


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# STATE'S ATTORNEY WITCHER AT LUBBOCK RESIGNS; WAS CONFIRMED AFTER FIGH

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 11.—Resignation of W. C. Witcher of Lubbock, State's Attorney for the 72nd District, whose confirmation was contested before the Senate in the called session of the 39th Legislature, was accepted today by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson.

L. A. Howard of Lubbock was appointed to succeed Witcher.

In his resignation Mr. Witcher called attention of the Governor to the fact that he had resigned as district attorney effective October 1 and said when he learned efforts were to be made to prevent his confirmation, he withdrew his resignation with the permission of the Governor and fought for confirmation which he obtained.

Witcher said he could not afford to remain in office as his financial condition, "following the long bitter fight made here prohibits it. year and a half in office is marl by a record unequaled for prose tions and convictions in this trict, as attested by the most pable and experienced lawyers the district, and the whipping prisoners has been stopped. had done nothing else, I believe would have been sufficient for man to do in the face of the o which I had to go up against."

Senator W. H. Bledsoe of L bock opposed the confirmation Witcher before the Governor's n inations committee and charged a statement entered on the Sen Journal that Witcher was to resi after being confirmed.

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# HEAVY HAULING IN CORSICANA OIL FIELD

—Photo by Riesen.

The above photograph was taken in the Corsicana oil field when twenty-eight horses were used in moving a Snow engine weighing twenty-seven tons. The horses are the property of Joe D. Hughes, local teaming contractor. It is seldom that so many horses are used. Circus teamsters in Corsicana today should get a real thrill out of this picture. Mr. Hughes has operated in practically all of the leading oil fields of the country and his teaming stock always attract much attention.

## Zion's Rest Home Demonstration Club

The Home Demonstration Club of Zion's Rest met with Mrs. J. B. Nichols at her home in that community last Wednesday afternoon where an exceptionally large attendance had gathered.. Mrs. Bryan, president, opened the meeting, after which a new secretary, Mrs. McGinnis, was elected. The retiring secretary, Mrs. E. J. Jones, found it impossible to serve in the office any longer..

Miss Lawson, county agent, took over the meeting at the request of the president. Mrs. Bryan, and conducted a very interesting period of discussion in the art of arranging Christmas dinners and selecting presents for the holidays. An actual demonstration in table service was put on which made the occasion all the more interesting, together with many other interesting things.

The meeting will be held next time at Mrs. O. C. Goodwin's home at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Nov. 3. All ladies of the community or elsewhere, are invited to attend. CLUB REPORTER.

## Religious Services Grape Creek Sunday

There will be preaching service at Grape Creek eMthodist church on next Sunday, Oct. 17th at 11 o'clock a.. m. All the people of the entire community are invited to come. It is expected that we shall have a full house on this occasion. Every member of the Crape Creek Church is expected to attend this service.

It is for your special benefit that we have arranged to have this special service on the above date mentioned. Please do not disappoint your pastor and your friends who are expecting to meet with you on this occasion. Help advertise the service, and be a booster for your church. S plan your work and work your plans with the view of coming to Grape Creek church on next Sunday morning.

L. L. Williams will be with us on this occasion and give to his audience some very high class singing. This within itself will be worth your coming.

GEORGE G. SMIH, Pastor.

## Ice Cream Supper

There will be an ice cream supper at Purdon Saturday night, Oct. 16th benefit of Younger Cemetery. Everybody invited.

"Corsicana Has It."

## SPEED ARTISTS

—Photo by Riesen.

SET RECORD IN NIGGER CREEK FIELD—The above is the picture of the drilling crew, in the employ of Fred M. Allison, local oil operator, which set a fast drilling record in the Nigger Creek oil field recently. The well was drilled for the Transcontinental Oil Company and is known as the Rossen No. 11. It was drilled to a depth og 2832 feet with 6 5-8 inch casing set and cemented in exactly 125 hours or five days and five hours. In the picture: Top Row—left to right—T. E. Roach, C. E. Vandiver, Joe Hill; bottom row—left to right J. L. Woods, C. E. Dozier and J. H. Harris. This is believed to be a new record for drilling on the balconnes fault.

## VETERANS ELECT OFFICERS FRIDAY PORT ARTHUR MEET

By Associated Press.

Port Arthur, Texas, Oct. 8.—General R. A. Miller, of Abilene was named commander in chief of Texas Confederate Veterans and Tyler was selected for the 1927 reunion, at the 34th annual reunion here today.

Brigadier Commanders selected are Generals R. D. Chapman of Houston, first; J. T. Clinkscales of San Antonio, second; J. A. Harris of Dallas, third; John G. Gaskell of Fort Worth, fourth; and Z. I. Williams of San Angelo, fifth.

On the Sabine Pass battleground where 44 Confederates under command of Lieutenant Dick Dowling sank two Federal gunboats and repulsed 4,000 Federal invaders Septemger 8, 1863, the Confederate Veterans and Sons this afternoon will close their reunion. A monument commemorating the battle of Sabine Pass will be unveiled and presented to the Veterans and Sons by Texas United Daughters of the Confederacy.

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## BOYS ARRESTED FOR BREAKING INTO CITY SCHOOL BUILDING

The police department has arrested two boys and obtained practically all articles stolen from the Stephen F. Austin School several nights ago, it was announced Friday. The kids are said to have obtained a large knife and cut the screen and entered through a window, taking numerous articles from the desks and a vanity belonging to one of the teachers.

## ODD FELLOWS TEAM PLAYED KERENS TO SCORELESS COUNT

The I. O. O. F. Home football team battled the heavier Kerens Bobcats to a scoreless tie in their game played in Kerens Thursday afternoon in the opening game of the season for the locals and the first game at home this season for the Kerens Bobcats.

The game was hard fought throughout.

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## FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MAN KILLED IN AUTO WRECK HELD

Funeral services for G. Henry Thornton, aged 30 years, who died at Mexia at midnight Wednesday night as a result of injuries sustained when the car in which he was riding collided wih another automobile near Nigger Creek several miles from Mexia, were held at Oakwood cemetery Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. D. A. Chisholm, pastor of the Eleventh Avenue Methodist church. The funeral cortege left the residence of A. Q. Thornton, 612 North Beaton street, brother of the deceased.

The body was brought overland from Mexia in the Sutherland hearse early Thursday morning and taken to the residence of the brother of the deceased.

He is survived by his wife, four small children, parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Thornton, Roane; two brothers, A. Q. Thornton, Corsicana; A. P. Thornton, Canyon, Texas; five sisters, Mrs. Luke Cave, Roane; Miss Lillie Thornton, Rice; Mrs. Will Huff, Idalou; Mrs. Chas. Huff, Abernathy; Mrs. Annie Wilson, Roane.

## FELT STUPID, DULL

### Mississippi Lady Says She Took Black-Draught for These Symptoms and Was "Greatly Relieved."

Starkville, Miss.—"I have been a user of Black-Draught for about twenty years," says Mrs. C. E. Buntin, of R. F. D. 5, this city.

"I used Black-Draught first for constipation," continues Mrs. Buntin. "I would feel dull, stupid, and have severe headaches, even feverish. I had an uneasy, tight feeling in my stomach.

"I read quite a bit about Black-Draught. I began using it and soon my bowels acted regularly and I was greatly relieved. I used it every once in a while for about eighteen years.

"About two years ago I found I was having indigestion, a tight smothering in my chest, then severe pain, especially after eating sweets. I commenced taking just a pinch of Black-Draught after meals and by doing this I could eat about anything.

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### Petty's Chapel Women's Club.

Miss Elma Lawson, county demonstration agent, will meet with the Women's Club of Petty's Chapel, Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 12th at 3 o'clock at the school building. The subject for disussion is "The School Lunch." All interested are not only invited to attend but are urged to do so. Come and bring some one with you.

SECRETARY.

## PRESBYTERIAL MEETS IN WACO, CORSICANA WOMAN IS PRESIDENT

The following article was clipped from the Waco News Tribune and will be of interest here as Mrs. J. M Dyer is president of the Auxiliary:

The First Presbyterian church women are hostesses today to a district meeting of the Central Texas Presbyterial auxiliary, which begins its session at 10 a. m. with Mrs. J. M. Dyer of Corsicana presiding. Miss Kittie Shand of Austin, secretary of young people's work, is to be an out-of-town speaker, as are Miss Adelaide McKee of the training school at Richmond and Mrs. Majors of Dallas, synodical secretary of young people's work.

## Too Late to Classify

LOST—Between Corsicana and Barry brown leather hand bag containing babies clothes and ladies purse with name inside. Phone 538, Corsicana or George Watson at Barry, Texas.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—80 acres of land three miles from Mercerson, Texas, practically all in cultivation, fairly well improved, near school and on rural route, at a bargain. J. M. Harvard, Navarro, Texas.

LOST—Friday night between Emhouse and Corsicana one dress, in box. Liberal reward for return. Mrs. C. F. Mabry, Kerens, Texas.

FOR SALE—Six good mules, all young, head cattle, two good wagons, farming implements, at reduced prices. M. L. McDonald, Route 6, Corsicana.

LOST—9 by 12 art square rug, Wednesday between Dawson and Silver City. Notify J. W. Mullins, Motor Route A, City.

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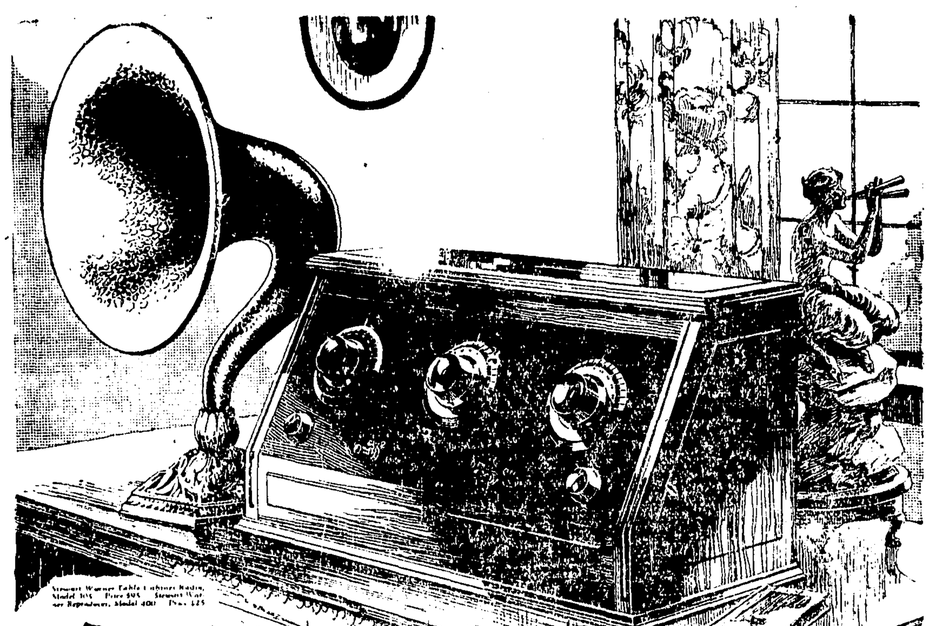

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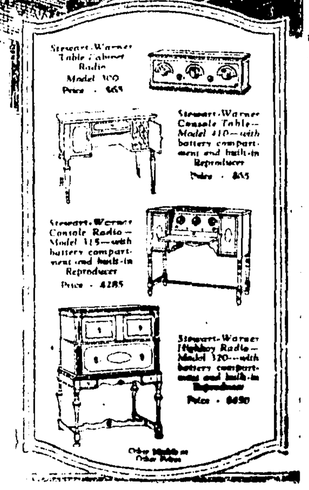

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## TEN ADDITIONS TO BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY SERVICE

### SERVICES WILL CONTINUE THROUGH THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST

There were ten additions to the church at the service Sunday night at the First Baptist where a revival has been in progress several days. Rev. J. Howard Williams, pastor of the church, is doing the preaching and he is assisted by Paul B. Harper who has charge of the song service.

Services will be held during this week at 10 each morning and 7:30 each evening, it was announced. Prayer meetings will be held at the church by the different departments at 7 o'clock each evening.

"A Man Who Sold Out" was the subject used by Rev. Mr. Williams Sunday night and was based on the scripture telling of the betrayal of Jesus by Judas for thirty pieces of silver.

In opening his discussion the minister declared that regardless of the price a man got for his honor it was small and added that a man who sold his hope of eternal life for the pasisng pleasures of the world was selling himself just as cheaply as Judas did when he betrayed the Savior for thirty pieces of silver.

Taking up his subject the Rev. Mr. Williams said that there were people who dealt in commodities not their own and declared that it was easy to traffic in sacred things. He then referred to the scripture lesson of the evening and said that it told of a man who sold out for thirty pieces of silver. Basing the declaration, "men of today sell their salvation for less than thirty pieces of silver and are selling out Jesus Christ for a mere pittance" on the scripture just referred to, the minister made an appeal for those who were not Christians to accept Jesus and forsake the ways of the world. He declared that men need comfort, refuge and peace and if they sold Jesus they sold all hope of eternal life and all hope of a refuge in time of trouble.

Throughout the sermon the minister appealed for those who were not Christians to turn from their ways and stated that every man who sells out receives something. He also stated that when some people were asked why they were not Christians they always had some excuse, usually some trivial matter which they let stand between them and God. This he declared was their price. Appealing again to those who were not Christians to find out what that thing which was keeping them from accepting Jesus Christ was worth he concluded his sermon with a final appeal for them to cast it aside and not be guilty of betraying the Master.

The attendance Sunday night was large, the main auditorium being almost filled. Much interest is being shown as was evidenced by the number who united with the church. Some of these were by letter and others by profession of faith.

The morning service was also largely attended.

Special music featured the program Sunday night. A violin solo by Mrs. J. K. Wood, accompanied by Mrs. Paul B. Harper at the piano and a selection by the male quartet were among the special numbers.


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## SENIOR CLASS OF KERENS HIGH NAMES OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, Oct. 11.—The Senior class of the Kerens High School has organized with the following officers elected: David Sherrill, president; Mary Cecil Ross, vice president; Lois Burt, secretary, and Gene Agnes Ross, reporter. The class has thirty-nine members, twenty-six boys and thirteen girls. The class has bought class rings which are expected to arrive within the next two weeks.

Alta Jones, Vaykey Smith and Donley Watt compose the class' social committee, and a moonlight picnic has ben planned for Friday night, Oct. 8th.

## KERENS GINNINGS HEAVY FOR SEASON COTTON BEING HELD

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, Oct. 11.—7,600 bales of cotton had been received in Kerens up to noon Friday, with receipts continuing at the rate of about two hundred bales per day. Much of this cotton is being held off the market since the new low level has been reached since the last government report.

Farmers are distressed by the low price, and many of them face bankruptsy if there is not a change for better in the near future. The banks of Kerens are letting their customers use their own judgment, holding their cotton if they wish, and carrying their paper until the cotton is sold.


AN ENDLESS ARRAY of photograph frames for you to select from. 35c to $7.50. Bring picture with you. City Book Store.


## INFORMATION ON TEXAS AVAILABLE TO CHAMBER COMMERCE

### ADVERTISE TEXAS COMMITTEE GATHERING IMPORTANT DATA OF STATE

Information being collected through the survey of Texas natural resources, industrial opportunities and agricultural advantages now being made by the Advertise Texas Committee, Inc., will be available to members of the local Chamber of Commerce, according to the letter received Tuesday from Chairman John W. Carpenter.

Booklets containing this information, now being accumulated, will be sent to local business men, the letter explains.

Sponsored by the Associated Advertising Clubs of Texas District, the Advertise Texas Committee, Inc., is facing the huge task of "selling Texas" to the world, much after the same fashion followed by California and Florida. Headquarters of the Committee's Executive Staff are in Waco. John W. Carpenter of Dallas, former Corsicanan, is Chairman of the Advisory Committee, and W. V. Crawford, President of the Texas Cotton Palace and publicist, is Director.


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Diamonds—Unredeemed Watches—Unredeemed Guns—See Fred Mitchell, 214 South Beaton.


## COTTON ROOT ROT IS NOT RESULT OF ALKALI SAYS BECK

### DISEASE THAT KILLS COTTON PLANT CAUSED BY FUNGUS GROWTH

"Cotton root rot is not caused by alkali," stated M. W. Beck, United States Department of Agriculture expert in charge of the soil survey of Navarro county. "The common belief is that the greater part of the dead cotton of Texas is caused by alkali. Cotton root rot is caused by a fungus, according to Dr. Taubenhaus of the experiment station at College Station," Mr. Beck stated. It was pointed out that the higher lime content in the soil, the worse the rot will be if the cotton root rot once gets started. The soil where alkali is least liable to occur, the root rot is found to be doing the worst damage.

"There are some alkali spots in Navarro county and these spots will be bare of vegetation if the alkali is sufficiently concentrated, and the surface will have a slick appearance. These spots are locally known as slick, white or tight laces," Mr. Beck stated.


**I. D. McAfee**

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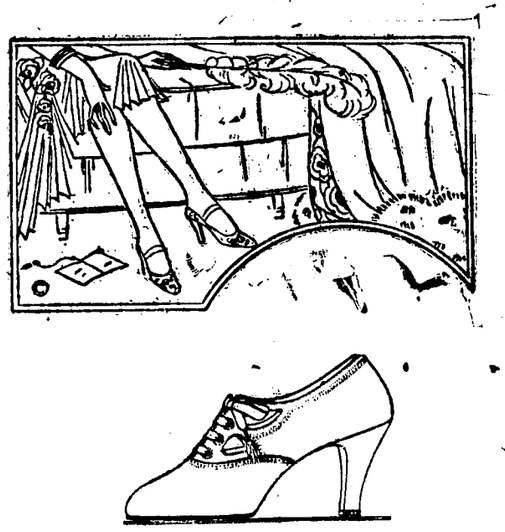

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## TERRACING WORK GOING FORWARD ON C. L. JESTER FARM

### PRECAUTIONS BEING TAKEN TO PREVENT FURTHER DAMAGE BY WASHING

The farm of C. L. Jester three miles east of Corsicana on the Powell road is being terraced under the supervision of Henry Gentry, county agent. Some of the terraces are more than one mile long and are being constructed wide enough so that the land can be cultivated over the terraces and thereby eliminate the wasting of the land of the terraces.

The terraces are wide and are calculated to stop the washing of the land which was in many instances had reached the clay subsoil and a number of places were in such a bad condition that it was with difficulty that the land was cultivated due to the deep ditches.

In some places it is necessary to fill in extra low places with fresnoes as the grade is such that the terrace-grader is unable to build the terrace to carry the water.

The cost of the terracing of this farm is estimated at about $2 per acre.


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## RAIN IN KERENS VICINITY DAMAGES COTTON HEAVILY

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, Oct. 11.—A heavy rain fell in East Navarro county Sunday afternoon, Friday night and Saturday afternoon. Cotton in the fields has been damaged some, and cotton picking will be stopped completely for several days.

More than a thousand bales of cotton were ginned and weighed in Kerens last week. The shortage of pickers has not been relieved, and the price paid for picking still remains at $1.00 per 100 pounds, despite the drop in the price of the staple.


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## HIGH POWER LINE BEING BUILT FROM TRINIDAD-NAVARRO

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, Oct. 11.—Work of clearing the right of way for the new nineteen mile high line from Trinidad to Navarro, has begun at Trinidad, with operations toward Navarro.

Approximately $20,000 will be spent in labor alone, in the construction of this high line, basing the estimate on the cost of labor in the construction of the Royse City to Trinidad high line, which was build last winter by the Texas Power and Light Company. An office and storage room has been established in Kerens during the construction work on this line.


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**Broke Arm.**

Percy Blackburn fell from a pecan tree Sunday sustaining a broken left arm. The break was just above the wrist.


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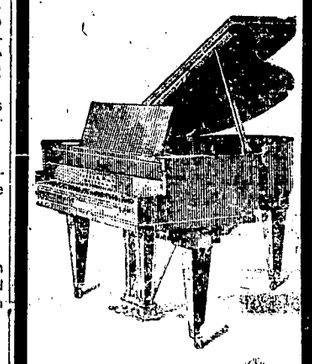

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## REPORTED ARREST MADE CONNECTION DEATH OF NANCE

### ALLEGED THAT NEGRO ANSWERING DESCRIPTION OF WANTED MAN HELD

Local officers were advised late Sunday night that a negro had been arrested in Dallas in connection with the death of J. C. Nance of Afton, Texas, whose decomposed body was found seven miles north of Corsicana in September with a bullet wound in the head.

The negro arrested in Dallas suits the description of the negro who is alleged to have accompanied the deceased on the night he came from Dallas and later boarded an interurban for Ferris and Dallas without Nance.

Sheriff John W. Stewart went to Dallas Monday afternoon in connection with the case.

Corsicana and Dallas officers have been working on this case since the finding of the body.


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## FOUR MARRIAGES PERFORMED DURING WEEK-END BY JUDGE

Robert Bays and Mrs. Pauline Walters, both residents of Wortham, were united in marriage at the residence of Judge Sam B. Jordan, 1425 West Ninth avenue Sunday. The ceremony byy Judge Jordan.

Curtis Conner and Zella Marr were married here Saturday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Judge Sam B. Jordan at his office in the Navarro county courthouse.

Chupin Sanche and Mrs. Bricie Andrews were married Saturday afternoon. The ceremony was performed at the Navarro county court house by Judge Sam B. Jordan.

Paul J. Rash and Buna Maddon were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at the Navarro county court house. The ceremony was performed by Judge Sam B. Jordan at his office.


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### Lad Run Over by Truck Improving

The right leg of Horace Carter of Richland, who was run over by a truck a week ago Saturday, was set Sunday at the Navarro County Hospital, it was learned Monday morning.

The delay in setting the broken leg was due to doctor's orders who was waiting for the lad to recover from a fractured skull. Hospital officials said he was recovering as well as could be expected.


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BRIGHTER HATS AND SUITS FOR MEN IS LONDON ORDER

London, England, Aug. 19.—(AP)—Brighter hats for men is the order which has been passed out by Mayfair haberdashers. Madonna blue, plum blue, lilac, chamois and sage are among the new colors which dealers will offer in an effort to brighten London's gloomy streets this autumn.

More colorful suits also are to be offered by tailors, who are working hand in hand with hatters to get men away from dull [illegible] blue. Two new brown, cedarwood and buff, will be offered [illegible] and hats and also in overcoats. Suits and hats which shade to lilac will be among the novelties of the season.

IN THE DAILY NEWS TO-DAY

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## VETERANS SHOULD BE WELL CARED FOR IN UNITED STATES

By Associated Press.

Philadelphia, Oct. 11.—The United States has disbursed more than $3,560,000,000 for the care of disabled veterans of the world war since the armistice, General Frank T. Hines, Director of the Veterans' Bureau disclosed here today in an address at the eighth annual convention of the American Legion.

### Dawson Church Has Called New Pastor

Rev. F. A. Brown, of Fort Worth preached at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church Sunday morning and night. He was accompanied by his son, Paul, who is a ministerial student at T. C. U. in Fort Worth.

Rev. Brown has accepted the pastorate of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church here and expects to move his family here within a few days. Our entire citizenship joins the membership of the church in extending Bro. Brown and family a hearty welcome to our city.—Dawson Herald.


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# ALEXANDER SAVES DAY BY STRIKING OUT THIRD BATTER

## THEVENOW AIDS CARDS WITH HIT AND EXCELLENT FIELDING WORK

By BRIAN BELL.

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 11.—Athletes whose vim and vitality gave the cowbells of St. Louis a chance to ring again when many Missourians feared they were to be forever mute, were bound for St. Louis today, figuring how much one can buy with $5,584.51. This sum represents the money to be paid each member of the St. Louis Cardinals for winning the World's Series.

The Yankees are calculating the purchasing power of $3,417.75, and reflecting that the difference in the size of the checks was determined by one $50,000 run. The Cardinals won the seventh and deciding game of the world's series, 3 to 2.

**$50,000 Strikeout.**

A $50,000 strike out was engineered by Old Master Alexander. Two plays and a hit by Thevenow also meant money, and Yankee miscues were costly.

In the final pulsating contest, played under leaden skies threatening to weep with the Yankees at any moment, age and youth showed the way. Grover Cleveland Alexander, aged 39, and Thomas Joseph Thevenow, aged 23, claimed between them the place in the sun they would have had no sun.

When he tucks away his check each Cardinal may reflect that he has to thank an old man, as ball players go.

Alexander had no place in the original cast for the seventh game. He started on the bench with the comforting thought of a well pitched victor Saturday and another the previous Sunday to comfort him.

**Haines Injures Knuckle.**

The offerings of Haines for the inspection of Yankee batsmen were just one knuckle ball after another and in the seventh inning with the bases full and the score 3 to 2, he was shocked to discover that he had practically knuckled himself out of the ball game. He had rubbed the skin off his fingers and his control was slipping. Rogers Hornsby decided that the big fellow from Phillipsburg, Ohio, needed some courtplaster, obtainable only in the club house.

The great Alexander, growing greater as the series wore itself out, shuffled in from the bullpen to fill it. He threw four times to Tony Lazzeri and three were strikes, and the championship was almost in St. Louis. Alexander was quite willing to finish the game. He turned back all Yankees but Ruth, who was sent to first in a peeve, when he refused to strike at three balls, just missing corners of the plate in the ninth inning.

**Thenenow Drives in Runs.**

Thevenow, who was born in Illinois, but lives in Indiana, drove in runs and with two great fielding plays turned the Yankees back when less efficient work would have spilled the beans and gold for the men who were to take the first world's championship to the Mississippi from the Hudson.

Records proved scraps of paper in the series. Marks for attendance and receipts went by the board with a compilation of 328,05 cash customers who paid $1,207,-264.

Babe Ruth crashed his way to seven records. This three home runs in one game and a fourth in the closing struggle made editing of the record books necessary. Making four runs in a game, driving in as many, receiving 11 bases on balls in the series and other minor efforts marked his activities. He made six hits and lifted his batting average for seven world's series to .253.

**Nineteen Records Fall.**

All told, 19 records fell and three others were tied.

For the third year in succession the classic was extended to its natural limit of seven games and for the third time in as many seasons the ultimate winner came from behind. The Yankees moved out of the west with a one-game margin, three two. The Cards wiped it out Saturday.

The Yankees spent the series seeing advantages lost. They were off in front with a first game victory. The series was deadlocked in the second game. St. Louis forged ahead on its first appearance before the home folk, only to see the count knotted again and then the invaders go out in front.

**Babe Hit Homer.**

Babe Ruth did his best to win the final game. He got a home run on his only chance to lift the ball as he was passed four times. He also made a hair-raising catch, making his sensational fielding feats for the series three—a marvelous catch and perfect throw to retire a runner at the plate having made baseball history in previous games.

Waite Hoyt pitched well, but his mates did not field so well as he pitched and after a pinch hitter appeared, Pennock finished the game already lost without further damage to his reputation.

The Yankees blasted the superstition that the team scoring the first run wins, for Ruth hit his home run in the third inning when the Cardinals were absolutely innocent of offensive results. Not for long was the lead to stand.

**Cardinals Make Three.**

The Cardinals were up and at them in the fourth. With one out, Bottomley sent a left handed single to left. Lester Bell hit hard to shortstop. Koenig with his eye on a double play and his head a few laps ahead of his hands, failed to hold the roller. All hands were safe. Hafey's pop fly between Koenig and Meusel would have been easy for either had the other clear charmer remained away. It was a hit under the circumstances and the bases were full. O'Farrell sent a high fly to Meusel. The fielder evidently tried to throw the ball to the plate before he caught it, and it dropped, after striking his glove. Bottomley ran home. Thevenow then arranged for what proved to be winning runs. His single to right sent Bel, and Hafey home. That was all but it proved enough.

The Yankees made another run in the sixth through a combination of Dugan's single and Severeid double.

**Alex's Entrance Dramatic**

When Alexander made his dramatic entrance in the seventh the bases had been filled with a hit by Combs and passes to Ruth and Gehrig with outs by Koenig and Meusel in between.

Two were out in the ninth when Ruth brought his big bat to the plate. Alexander slipped the first pitch by for a strike. The next was a teaser, scorned by the Babe and it was called a ball. Then a foul. With two strikes and a ball, Alexander tried three slow curves, all outside the extreme corner of the plate. Ruth could not hope to hit one of them out of the park to tie the score, so walked to first. The Babe then made his last bid. He tried to place himself in a position to score on a hit by stealing second. He failed and St. Louis came into its own after 38 years of waiting.

## The Box Score:

| St. Louis— | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Holm, cf | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Southworth, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hornsby, 2b | 4 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Bottomley, 1b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| L. Bell, 3b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Hafey, lf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Farrell, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Thevenow, ss | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Haines, p | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Alexander, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 3 | 8 | 27 | 14 | 0 |

| New York— | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Combs, cf | 5 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Koenig, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| Ruth, rf | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Meusel, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Gehrig, 1b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Lazzeri, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Dugan, 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| Severeid, c | 3 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| zzS. Adams | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Collins, c | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hoyt, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| zPaschal | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pennock, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 32 | 2 | 8 | 27 | 10 | 3 |

z—Batted for Hoyt in 6th.
zz—Ran for Severeid in 6th.

Score by innings: R.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 000 300 000 | 3 |
| New York | 001 001 000 | 2 |

Summary—Two-base hits: Severeid. Home run: Ruth. Sacrifice: Haines, O'Farrell, Koenig, Bottomley. Left on base: St. Louis 7; New York 10. Base on ball: off Haines 5 (Ruth 3; Gehrig 2); off Alexander 1 (Ruth). Struck out: by Haines 2 (Lazzerri 2); by Alexander 1 (Lazarri); by Hoyt 2 (Hafey, Haines). Hits: off Hoyt five in six innings; off Pennock three in three innings; off Haines 7 in 6 2-3; off Alexander 1 in 2 1-3 innings. Winning pitcher Haines; losing pitcher Hoyt. Umpires: Hildebrandt at plate, Klem at first, Dinneen at second, O'Day at third. Time of game 2:15.

# SOUTH AMERICAN FLIGHT BE STARTED FROM SAN ANTONIO

## ARMY FLYERS WILL COVER TOTAL OF OVER EIGHTEEN THOUSAND MILES

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 11.—The Army's "Pan-American" flight will start from San Antonio, Texas, "on or about the 15th of December," the War Department announced today.

The official itinerary of the flight, also announced today, shows that Nicaragua and Ecuador will be the only countries in South America which will not be visited by the flyers.

Another point of interest which will be passed by without a stop is Arica, former seat of the Pershing Plebiscite Commission.

The flight will terminate at Washington and will cover a total of 18,524 miles. Seventy-one stops will be made. The flight has been divided into six divisions each of which will be surveyed in advance.

# CONNIE TALMADGE DECIDES HUSBAND TO BE HINDERANCE

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 11.—Constance Talmadge, screen star, and her Scotch husband of seven months, Captain Alastair William Macintosh have separated. Miss Talmadge is on her way to Hollywood and Captain MacIntosh is about to return to England.

The separation, the screen star's friends say, is amicable, but permanent, and will be followed by a divorce equally friendly just as she divorced her first husband, John Pialoglou, a wealthy New York importer.

The reasons she gave for that divorce were that she wished to continue her screen career and found she could not do so successfully while wedded. The same reason influence her again, her friends say.

# TWO MEN AND WOMAN PAY PENALTY HAVING SLAIN AN OFFICER

## CONVICTED ON PREVIOUS TRIAL BUT RECENTLY GRANTED NEW TRIAL

By Associated Press.

Aiken, S. C., Oct. 8.—A mob early today stormed the Aiken jail, seized three negroes, one of them a woman, and shot them to death in a pine thicket just beyond the city limits.

The negroes lynched were Clarence and Demmond Lowman and the latter's sister, Bertha Lowman They were on trial a second time for murder in connection with the death of Sheriff H. H. Howard of Aiken county, who was shot to death April 25, 1925, when, accompanied by several deputies, he went to raid the home of Sam Lowman, father of Demmond and Bertha Lowman and uncle of Clarence Lowman. On their first trial the negroes were convicted but a new trial was granted by the State Supreme Court. This trial began early this week.

**Not Guilty Verdict Ordered.**

Yesterday Special Judge S. T. Lanham, presiding, directed a verdict of "not" guilty for Demmond Lowman, one the charge of conspiracy to murder.

The mob broke into the jail about 3 o'clock this morning, overpowered Rupert Taylor, jailer, and Sheriff Nollie Robinson, and spirited the negroes away in an automobile. Their bodies were found several hours later in the thicket, about a quarter of a mile from town. Each had been shot several times.

The jailer said all electric wires to the jail were cut and he was called to the door by the men. A demand was made for the prisoners. He refused to accede and had Sheriff Robinson called by telephone. The sheriff arrived while the mob surrounded the jail and was overpowered, the officer said. Meantime some members of the mob enered the jail through a window in a part of the building used as the jailer's residence and succeeded in obtaining the prisoners.

**Sheriff Outdistanced.**

Sheriff Robinson said he followed the mob but was outdistanced because he was driving a small automobile while the lynchers were in faster cars. He turned back near the city limits.

Although Demmond Lowman was acquitted on the conspiracy charge he was re-arrested yesterday on a warrant charging assault and battery with intent to kill and was being held on that warrant.

The two men were sentenced to death at their first trial and the woman was given a life sentence.

Estimates of the number of men in the mob varied widely.

Sheriff Robinson was one of the officers who as a deputy accompanied Sheriff Howard upon the liquor raid to the Lowman home.

Contentions of one of the defendants at the first trial was that they were not aware that the raiders were officers. Annie Lowman, mother of Demmond and Bertha, was shot and killed by one of the officers. Clarence was alleged to have fired the shot that killed Sheriff Howard. Bertha was shot through the body during the raid.

By Associated Press.

Augusta, Ga., Oct. 8.—Clarence and Demmon Lowman and the latter's sister Bertha, all negroes, were taken from the county jail at Aiken, S. C., by a band of armed men early today and lynched, a telephone message to the Augusta Herald said.

The men had been convicted of the murder of Sheriff H. H. Howard, of Aiken county, and sentenced to death. The woman was sentenced to life imprisonment. All were granted a new trial and the hearing began at Aiken Tuesday, with Special Judge Samuel Lantham of Spartanburg, S. S., presiding.

Sheriff Howard was shot to death April 25, 1925 when he went to raid the home of Sam Lowman, father of Demmon and Bertha Loman and uncle of Clarence Lowman. The negroes were farmers.

By Associated Press.

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 8.—Governor McLeod was notified today of the lynching of the three Lowman negroes near Aiken. He immediately called upon State Constable Hart, who is in Aiken, for a full report of the affair.

# LONDON NEWSPAPER LAYS MUSSOLINI PLAN BEFORE ITS READERS

By The Associated Press.

London, Oct. 9.—The Daily Express in a front page article today intimated that Italy is preparing for war against Turkey.

The article declares that Premier Mussolini of Italy is planning, with the co-operation of Greece, to secure for Italy a zone of influence around Adalia, Asia Minor, which was promised Italy in 1915, by a secret pact in London between Russia, France, Great Britain and Italy, and which the Bolshevists disclosed in 1917.

Turkey, says the newspaper, is aware of the plan and maintains four army corps, permanently mobilized. Mussolini believes the methods he has devised cannot possibly fail if put into operation.

**Greece Would Attack Thrace.**

Greece would attack Turkey through Thrace, while the Italians attacked south. Greece's reward would be re-possession of the Smyrna territory. Roumania's neutrality was secured by a promise of support regarding Bessarabia.

Great international efforts are being made, the Daily Express declared, to persuade Mussolini to desist, and it is urged in some quarters that the United States should be invited to exert her influence for peace.

While France is believed to be not entirely averse to the Italian aims if they can be attained without war, the newspaper asserts Great Britain is on the side of France and her efforts and in conjunction with possible aid from America, may limit Mussolini's plans to an unfulfilled threat.

# FIFTY WOMEN ARE TRAMPLED TO DEATH IN RUSH ON GATE

## FIVE HUNDRED COFFINS SENT TO BURY DEAD WHO WERE TRAMPLED OR DROWNED

By Associated Press.

Peking, Oct. 8—Foreign dispatches from Hankow say that at least fifty women were among those trampled to death in the rush of the crowds through the gate of the city of Wu Chang in an attempt to reach the boats taking refugees to Hankow, across the Yangtze river.

Chinese estimates, unconfirmed, say that 10,000 persons have died in Wu Chang since the seige of that city by the Red Cantonese army began some weeks ago. Most of these are said to have died of starvation. Advices say that twenty to thirty thousand civilians have been evacuated from the city since the rescue work started, under Red Cross auspices.

Hankow dispatches state that 500 coffins have been shipped to Wu Chang to bury refugees trampled or drowned in the rush for boats.

**Ancient City Being Evacuated.**

By Associated Press.

Hankow, Oct. 8.—The classical city of Wu Chang—established more than a thousand years before the birth of Christ—is being emptied of its civilian population or that portion of it which it is humanly possible to transport across the two miles of placid Yangtze to Hankow in the time allowed. There have been only a few days in which the rescuers could work, few boats available for the purpose and yet this theatre of death is the above of more than a quarter of a million souls.

The Red Cross and other agencies of mercy as yet have been able to bring across the river only approximately 40,000 persons.

**Tomb of Dead and Dying.**

For five weeks the ancient city across the river, which, under one name or another has held a place in the commerce and politics of the Orient as far back as history is recorded, has been a seat tomb of dead and dying; its streets strewn with corpses; its populace slowly starving to death.

The stubborn fury of its Northern defenders was born of the refusal of the besiegers to grant any terms of surrender. In the war language of the East this probably means annihilation when hunger or shells have sufficiently sapped the strength of the gallant garrison.

Annuouncement of the intention of the Cantonese to bombard Wu Chang came after the blockaded army had consented to permit some of the thousands of non-combatants to depart.

October 10 was the date set for the opening of this new phase of the epochal struggle for possession of the historical city. Seemingly only one thing can avert the slaughter that must inevitably ensue otherwise. This would be the success of General Sun Chuan Fang's efforts to cut the line of communications of the Southern army, thereby forcing that portion of it around Wu Chang to retire southward as a matter of self preservation.

The desperate nature of the attempt to assist the blockaded garrison put forth by General Sun seemingly is evidenced by reports, as yet unconfirmed, that there have been twenty thousand casualties in the fighting around Kiukiang and Foyang Lake.

Sun is the principal overlord of the five Eastern provinces and ally of Wu Pei Fu, who, with Chank Tzo Lin rules Northern China.

# CORN CROP LESS WHEAT CROP LARGER ACCORDING REPORT

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 11.—Corn production this year, indicated by the condition of the crop on Oct. 1, was placed at 2,679,988,000 bushels today by the Department of Agriculture. A month ago 2,697,872,000 bushels were indicated. Last year's crop totaled 2,905,053,000 bushels.

The preliminary estimate of spring wheat production was placed at 213,336,000 bushels compared with 212,109,000 bushels a month ago and 270,875,000 bushels last year.

The reliminary estimate of winter wheat production is 626,482,000 bushels making this year's total wheat crop 839,818,000 bushels compared with 660,000,000 last year.

# PROPERTIES LEWIS OIL COMPANY TAKEN OVER BY TEXAS CO.

## MEXIA LEASES, PROPERTIES AND PRODUCTION SOLD PAST WEEK

Special to the Sun.

Mexia, Texas, Oct. 11.—The sale of the properties of the Lewis Oil Company to the Texas Company became known here Saturday morning when the Texas Company took charge of the leases that have been operated for the past four years by the Lewis Oil Company, with R. W. Taylor, general manager. It is learned that the deal was made in New York last Thursday, October 7, between H. J. Parker, president of the Lewis Oil Company and the president of the Texas Company.

By the deal Mr. Taylor is the only employe of the Lewis Oil Company that it not retained. F. L. Hughes, district manager for the Texas Company, will handle the new acquisition along with the other Texas Company producing properties. The only change noted as resulting from the big deal here Saturday was that the oil now is to be transported to market through Texas Pipe Lines instead of through Humble.

By the transaction the Texas Company becomes the owners of the entire properties of the Lewis Oil Company in Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Texas. The consideration was not announced.

Included among the properties transferred are about 35,000 acres of undeveloped leases, two gas plants in the state of Oklahoma and approximately 3,500 barrels of settled production, and involves several million dollars.

F. B. Payne of Dallas is manager for the Lewis Oil Company.

R. W. Taylor, who has been in charge of this district since early in 1922, has many friends in Mexia who are interested in his future plans. He states that he has not yet fully decided but will probably retain his residence in Mexia.

The sale has been rumored for several weeks out was not consummated until Thursday of last week.

The Lewis Oil Company has 11 houses on its leases for employes which are included in the sale and in which the employes, now in the service of the Texas Company, continue to live.

The leases include 134 acres on the Desenberg farm: where there are 7 wells; 25 acres on the Hines where there are 4 wells; 25 acres on the Koenig where there are 7 wells and 20 acres on the Freeman where they are 2 wells.

# DECREASE OF TEN MILLION DOLLARS IN COUNTY TAX ROLLS

## DECREASE IS CAUSED BY LOSS OF OIL RENDITIONS PREVIOUS YEAR

At the meeting of the Navarro county commissioners' court Monday morning, the tax rolls of Navarro county for the year 1926 were presented by L. H. Elkins, tax assessor, and were approved by the court and will be forwarded to the State Comptroller's office at once. According to the rolls, the rendition of the properties of Navarro county total $47,369,323. This is approximately $10,000,000 less than the renditions for 1925.

The oil renditions this year are placed at $21,351,698. The loss as compared with the total renditions last year is caused in the loss in the oil properties which were over $30,000,000 for 1926.

The application of W. F. Harvard, county clerk, for the appointment of Fannie Stewart as deputy county clerk, was allowed.

The bond of George McElwrath as a light tester at Purdon was approved.

The bond of J. P. Bryson as deputy public weigher was also approved.

The reports of the home demonstration agent and the colored demonstration agent were received.

A tax rate of $29 per $100 valuation for that portion of the county included in the Henderson County Levee District No. 3 was passed.

The quarterly report of Mrs. E. M. Jones, county treasurer, was ordered filed. The nanual report of J. M. Tullos, county auditor, was ordered filed and published.

An invitation to the county judge and commissioners was received from H. R. Stovall, county judge of Ellis county, to attend a meeting of the commissioners and county judges of Navarro, Ellis, Hill, Johnson and Kaufman counties which will be held at the Ellis county courthouse in Waxahachie, Oct. 20, for the purpose of perfecting an organization which is calculated to aid each of the courts in the various problems peculiar to this section of the State. It is exected that a numebr of the members will attend this meeting. It is thought that meetings of the proposed organization will be held often and problems confronting the various courts can be worked out.

The monthly claims were allowed except as noted on the claim docket.

Those present included Warren Hicks, county judge; D. T. Collins, Ruben Milligan, Jack Megarity, and Ben F. Guynes, commissioners, and other officials.

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# DALLAS WOMAN WAS CHARGED FORMALLY WITH MURDER MONDAY

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 11.—Formal charges of murder were filed today against Mrs. Hybernia Wilkinson, aged 28, formerly of Bertram, in connection with the fatal shooting Sunday of W. E. Ledbetter, aged 55, of Bertram, Burnet county. Ledbetter was shot twice with a pistol as he started to enter a basement apartment in Southeast Dallas and died in a hospital. Mrs. Wilkinson was arrested.

The woman declared Ledbetter had threatened her life and had forced his attentions upon her. "He threatened to kill me if I told my husband," she said.

Officers said Ledbetter came to Dallas by motor car Sunday morning from Bertram.

He is survived by his widow and four children. Mrs. Wilkinson is the mother of three children.

# TWO STORAGE TANKS BELIEVED SUFFICIENT IN PANHANDLE AREA

Austin, Texas, Oct. 11.—Information to Judge H. E. Bell, chief oil and gas supervisor of the Railroad Commission, is that only two of the three open storage tanks will be built and used in the Panhandle fields, and that no work has started on the third and largest, the permit having been for storage of 1,000,000 barrels. Three permits were issued to relieve the situation, which has grown much better, Judge Bell said, following the completion of the Santa Fe to Isom, Hutchinson county, but another month will be required to build more sidings and loading racks expeditiously to handle the oil. Another factor to help the situation will be the reduced production in cold weather and the slowing down of pipe line runs, due to the oil congealing and moving slowly when the weather gets to 55 degrees.

Two tanks are now in course of construction, according to reports to the commission, one to hold 200,000 barrels and the other 500,000 barrels. They are to be covered and lined with gunite, a cement composition put on with high pressure and held by woven wire. This lining is flexible but impervious to leakage. A cushion of water is held in the bottom of the tank. Before oil is stored the tanks will be inspected by Judge Bell and must meet his approval.

With information from Tulsa that Texas Panhandle operators have agreed to reduce operations, Judge Bell thinks the Panhandle situation will soon entirely be relieved. There has been but a small curtailment in production, Judge Bell said, and it will not be further extended.

# TWELVE THOUSAND WOMEN AND CHILDREN RESCUED FROM DEATH

By Associated Press.

Hankow, Oct. 6.—Rescue launches and lighters have succeeded in bringing 12,000 women and children to this city from the neighboring city of Wu Chang, where Northern and Southern Chinese troops are at death grips. The rescue was effected Sunday and Monday after a previous attempt had failed when the ships were fired on and forced to return, although opposing forces had previously agreed to the rescue.

The Northern troops who are holding Wu Chang against the beseiging Cantonese have permitted the beggared and impoverished element of the civilian population to depart, holding the better classes in the city.

**Situation Appalling.**

Charitable organizations are caring for the rescued who relate appaling stories of conditions in Wu Chang. They say the people, desperate from starvation, are eating dogs, cats and rats.

The military as well as the civilian population is starving after consuming all the livestock. Bodies litter the streets, unburied because all coffins have been filled with sand and used as barricades. The refugees report that 200 Northern soldiers were killed during a recent sortie from the city gates.

**More To Be Brought Out.**

The rescue vessels are to cross the Yangtze rive ragain to bring to safety as many more refugees as possible. All peace negotiations between the opposing troops have been broken of entirely.

When the Northern troops repeatedly refused to surrender the city, the Cantonese announced they would place an embargo and cut off all supplies and communications. How well they have succeeded is graphically revealed by the refugees.

# RAMSEY AND HALE REFUSED RELIEF BY U. S. SUPREME COURT

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 11.—John Ramsey and William K. Hale, charged with the murder of Henry Roan, an Osage Indian, in Oklahoma, were denied relief today by the Supreme Court.

At its last term the court held that the Federal government had jurisdiction over the territory where Roane was killed, and that the Federal courts were competent to try the case. Today a petition by Ramsey and Hale for a rehearing was denied.

# INDIANA PUBLISHER STIRS UP OFFICIALS BY CHARGES OF CORRUPTION IN OFFICE

By Associated Press.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 8.—Charges made by Thomas H. Adams, Vincennes publisher, that Indiana politics is filled with corruption, have brought retorts from State and local officials, the general tenor of which is that they will seek to punish any wrongdoers that may be discovered.

Adams' ardor for prosecuting the investigation was not cooled by proposals of officials to proceed along the same lines. He planned a meeting today of State Senators and newspaper publishers in sympathy with his movement to discuss future steps.

Governor Jackson, Attorney General Gilliom, and Will H. Remy, Marion county prosecutor, expressed a willingness to participate in the move.

**Governor Ready for Probe.**

The governor declared "there will be an investigation to determine whether any officials who have received the commission of the people have betrayed the trust placed in them."

The attorney general made a statement, "We are open to anyone who can produce evidence showing that improprieties exist in the offices of the government of the State." Remy, who prosecuted the case that resulted in a life sentence for D. C. Stephenson, grand dragon, on the charge of murdering Madge Oberholtzer, said he intended to make an investigation of Adams' charges as they concerned local politics.

John L. Duvall, mayor of Indianapolis, named by Adams as violating the corrupt practices act, said he was preparing to file a libel suit in retaliation for the publication of photostatic copies of letters purported to have been written by him to Stephenson.

**Evans Says Stephenson Banished.**

Hiram W. Evans, Imperial Wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, issued a statement at Washington in which he pointed out that Stephenson had been banished from the Klan after he had been convicted by his local Klan at Evansville on charges of impropriety.

He said that Stephenson's alleged political acts, "affect his conduct since and not before his banishment from the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan."

# TEXAS WON IN PART ON BOUNDRY DISPUTE WITH OKLAHOMA IN HIGH COURT

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 11.—Texas won in part in the Supreme Court today in its boundary controversy with Oklahoma over the location of the State line north from the Red River along the Eastern side of the Panhandle.

The court held that the present boundary located by A. H. Jones and H. M. C. Brown in 1859 and retraced by John H. Clark in 1860, could not be recognized.

The court also rejected, however, the contention of Texas that the intersection of the 100th meridian and the Red River marked in 1903 by Arthur D. Kidder constituted the proper boundary.

A new survey was ordered by the court to determine where the line should fall. This had been suggested by Texas as an alternative.

Texas had asserted that 25,000 acres of land, now under the jurisdiction of Oklahoma, properly belonged within Texas borders.

Oklahoma, in opposing a change in the present line emphasized that practically all the land in the strip had been patented by the Federal government to homesteaders and that it had received 2,838 acres for school urposes, while 280 acres had been given its State University.

The opinion of the higher court, rendered by Justice Sanford declared that the contention of neither Texas nor Oklahoma could be accepted. It held that the true boundary was the actual location opon the ground of the 100th meridian and declared that commissioners be appointed to locate it.

Texas and Oklahoma were given 30 days in which to submit a form of decree to give effect to the decision.

# DETROIT MINISTERS AND OTHER CITIZENS HEARD LABOR LEADERS IN CHURCHES SUNDAY

By Associated Press.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 11.—Doors of the Detroit Y. M. C. A. were opened today to a spokesman for the American Federation of Labor.

Acceptance by John P. Frey, president of the Ohio State Federation of Labor, of an invitation to address the weekly meeting of the Detroit Ministerial Association in the Central Y. M. C. A. building paved the way for an exposition of the spiritual aims of the American Federation of Labor in the building in which William Green, president of the Federation, had been scheduled to speak yesterday until his invitation was rescinded last week by the Association's board of directors.

The ministers' invitation to Mr. Frey came through the Federal council of churches of Christ in America, under whose auspices President Green spoke yesterday at a "mass meeting of citizens of Detroit," at the First Congregational Church.

Dr. Lynn Harold Hough, president of the Detroit Council of Churches, presided at the meeting, in which clergymen representing eight denominations took part.

Thousands of Detroit residents, and hundreds of labor delegates, heard sermons and addresses yesterday on the spiritual aims of the American Labor movement from more than a score of pulpits in Detroit and vicinity.

Eighteen meetings in the city and suburbs were held under the auspices of the Federated Council of Churches where representatives of the American Federation of Labor expounded the spiritual aims of their organization in their meeting and social welfare workers and representatives of other labor organizations presented the same theme before the remaining twelve congregations.

# INDIANA EDITOR'S CHARGES OF POLITICAL CORRUPTION TO BE PROBED BY GRAND JURY

By Associated Press.

Indianapolis, Ind., Act. 11.—William H. Remy, prosecuting attorney of Marion county, moved swiftly today to bring before the Marion county grand jury charges of alleged political corruption centering around the period during which D. C. Stephenson, now a life term convict in the Indiana state prison, was the controlling figure in Indiana politics.

These charges, which have been made by Thomas H. Adams, publisher of the Vincennes Commercial and a group of editors associated with him in an investigation of alleged misconduct by officials in office, were called officially to the attention of Remey and Judge A. Collins, of the criminal court yesterday by Attorney General Gilliom of Indiana. The latter took cognizance of them in a telegram to A. R. Erskine of South Bend, president of the Studebaker Corporation, which was sent in answer to one to the attorney general Saturday, in which Erskine called upon Gilliom to have the charges brought before an investigating body.

Judge Collins announced steps would be taken today to comply with Gilliom's request to Collins to instruct the grand jury to investigate Adams charges.

One of the first moves today was expected to be the issuance of a subpoena for Stephenson to appear before the grand jury, in as much as Gilliom said: "Since the whole structure of Adam's charges seems to depend on testimony of a state prison convict he will be brought before the grand jury under lawful order of the court."

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